

FEW DISPUTES WITH LABOR

Concession on Both Sides Tend to Improve Conditions Throughout Country.

BILLS DISCOUNTED

General Trend of Business is Toward Improvement with Western Merchants at Present.

New York, Sept. 12.—"Despite the interruption of a holiday, last week brought increased activity in many branches of business. An encouraging symptom is the decreased complaint regarding collections, accompanied by more discounting of bills. Weather conditions have been favorable for retail trade, distribution of merchandise expanding, while there are frequent reports of larger jobbing fall business than last year. Some caution in selecting goods owing to high prices is reported in the west, but this is chiefly confined to textiles. Labor disputes decrease, all but one of the unions having signed the agreement in the local building trades, and several other settlements have been effected through concessions by both sides," according to R. G. Dun & Co's. weekly review of trade.

Corn Crop Improves. "Trade conditions are still uneven, but the general drift is toward improvement. A more assured feeling as to the corn crop out-turn is manifest, conditions in most states having improved since Sept. 1. State fairs and low-rate excursions have stimulated western distribution, while good prospects for corn, cotton, rice and sugar at the south have made for cheerfulness in that section. Eastern trade advances are of less notable activity. In the west lumber and building material of all kinds is active and firm, but at the east the resumption of building operations at strike-infested cities has not been sufficient to keep the markets strong. "Railway earnings in August were 9.1 per cent larger than last year and 15.4 per cent greater than in 1901. Owing to the lateness of the crop there is little complaint of traffic congestion.

Quiet in Furnace Products. "On Sept. 1, for the first time this year, furnace stocks of pig iron exceeded a week's capacity of the furnaces in blast. This is statistical evidence of the quiet conditions now prevailing in the iron and steel industry, although the exact situation cannot be determined without a knowledge of the supplies at other points. Furnace stocks have doubled since June 1, yet the weekly output is now about 30,000 tons less than at that date. These figures explain the reduction in prices. "Prices of Southern foundry iron have again declined, weakening the tone and delaying the placing of contracts elsewhere. Agricultural implement makers have again purchased freely of material, some plow steel contracts covering deliveries for five years.

Leather Manufacturers. "New England manufacturers continue busy on fall and winter footwear and at many points it is difficult to secure sufficient labor. Wholesalers report deliveries of nearly all varieties on time or with little delay, but facilities are taxed in order to keep up with business. Leather is still quiet in this vicinity, buyers taking sole only as needed, evidently anticipating better terms. "At the West there is more activity. Notwithstanding heavy receipts of cattle, packers are asking fractionally higher figures for hides. Prices of cotton goods are slow to reflect the reaction in the raw material, and the demand is not improved. On the contrary, buyers are encouraged to delay placing contracts and mills are not seeking business. In the jobbing trade a large distribution of merchandise is in progress, this branch of the industry reporting a profitable season. "Failures were 172 in the United States, against 205 last year, and nineteen in Canada, compared with twenty-two a year ago."

PRISON TERMS FOR OFFICIALS

Customs Inspector and Supply Chief Are Sentenced in Manila.

Manila, Sept. 12.—Customs Inspector Thomas P. Coates and Lieut. Osborne, constabulary supply officer, both stationed at San Fernando, who were arrested recently on the charge of misappropriating government funds, have been tried and convicted of the crime. Lieut. Osborne has been sentenced to ten years' imprisonment. Dean Tompkins, treasurer of the province of La Union, has also been convicted of forgery, but sentence has been reserved. The minimum penalty for the crime is imprisonment for twelve years.

VIOLENT GALE SWEEPS OVER BRITISH ISLES

Lloyds Reports Over Fifty Casualties to Shipping and 100 Lives Are Known to Be Lost.

London, Sept. 12.—The British Isles were swept Friday by the most violent gale in years, and the storm left death and widespread ruin in its track. Telegraphic communication is so disordered that an estimate of the number of fatalities and of the damage is impossible, but at least 100 are known to be dead, and it is feared that the number of dead is much greater.

Lloyds report over fifty serious casualties to shipping. All sorts of vessels were caught in the gale and many foundered, several with their entire crews. A great number of minor craft is believed to be lost and the bodies washed ashore continue to swell the terrible list of fatalities.

The gale sprang up with sudden fury from the southwest and the wind blew with a velocity at times reaching seventy-two miles an hour. This continued for several hours.

All the coast towns suffered more or less and the agricultural sections in the interior report incalculable damage owing to the late harvest. The beautiful hop gardens of Kent have been ruined and in many places the valleys of the Thames and the Severn are submerged, large numbers of sheep and cattle being drowned.

Great numbers of fine trees in the parks of London and other cities were torn up by the roots or stripped off their branches, and the list of minor damage and casualties is amazing. In addition to the deaths from drowning, reports from the island give many fatalities resulting from various causes incidental to the storm.

"TINKER" SMITH IS CAPTURED

Wily Crook with a Bullet Wound in One Arm, Fell Into Hands of Police at Belvidere.

Chief of Police Hogan received word this noon that the notorious "Tinker" Smith had been captured by Chief of Police Richardson at Belvidere. The sheriff went after him this afternoon. It was found that one of the shots fired by Groceryman Carle had taken effect, the bullet having lodged in one of Smith's arms.

Scotch Ship Canal.

The only heavy cut necessary in making the ship canal across Scotland, from the German sea to the Atlantic, near Glasgow, will be one at Loch Lomond, averaging 200 feet deep for one and three-quarter miles. In the remainder of the route the average will be fifty feet.

STATE NOTES

Thomas McHenry of the towns of Ellsworth was killed by the accidental discharge of a gun, while he was hurrying to prevent his poultry barn being robbed.

Lillian Ochs, 5 years of age, of Fond du Lac, by falling into a hot bath prepared for her father, was seriously scalded, and may lose one of her eyes.

Louis Karney pleaded guilty to forgery in the circuit court at Racine and was sent to Waupun for a term of two years, after saying that drink had drove him to the crime.

Peter Macklin of Taycheedah has killed an old red fox which has made its home in the cemetery of that place, and which, although seen almost daily for the last ten years, had always managed to escape.

In a cabbage patch at Mygatt's Corners, near Racine, Mrs. H. Olson discovered a child not over 5 years old, nearly starved to death, and who is unable to tell where she belongs or who her parents are.

W. M. Paine, the Appleton business man who suddenly went insane and leaped from a window at a Racine hospital, has been taken to Appleton, and he may be taken to the Northern asylum for treatment.

David J. Thelen of Kenosha, who is a member of the United States navy, has been advanced to the rank of a first lieutenant and has been named as one of the men in charge of the navy station at Norfolk, Va.

Ellsworth David Wright, Ph. D., professor of Latin languages and literature at Lawrence university, fell on the stone steps at the west entrance to University hall and broke his right leg between the knee and hip.

The pastors of Manitowoc have petitioned Mayor Kemper to prevent the opening of the street fair under the auspices of the Elks on Sunday, but the mayor refused to interfere with the local committee who have the matter in charge.

At the annual reunion of the Columbia County Veterans' association, held in Kilbourn, the following officers were elected: President, H. C. Stanley of Wyocena; secretary, Emmett West of Pardeeville; treasurer, O. Speer of Pardeeville.

Prof. C. F. Burgess of the University of Wisconsin is making tests to determine whether the Beloit Water company's mains are being damaged through electrolysis by currents from the Rockford, Beloit and Janesville railway, the company holding that damage has been done.



VACATION DAYS ARE OVER

TURKEY FEARS ADMIRAL COTTON

IS AFRAID HE WILL FORCE THE DARDANELLES.

TURKEY NOW MAKES READY

Governor of Beirut Has Been Replaced by the Governor of Damascus.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.) Washington, Sept. 12.—Minister Leishman telegraphs the state department that the sultan has removed Reshid Bey, the governor general of Beirut, he has been dismissed and that Mazin Pasha, governor of Damascus, has been appointed acting governor of Beirut.

It is a fact that military circles of Constantinople are much disturbed over the acts of Admiral Cotton and fear that he may force a passage of the Dardanelles owing to the order that the forts be reinforced and mines laid in the channel.

TRAIN WRECKED AT EAU CLAIRE

Six Sleepers on Excursion Out of This City to Duluth Derailed—Two Reported Killed.

Mrs. Harry Garbutt received word from her husband at eleven o'clock this morning, stating that the excursion train to Duluth over the North-Western ran into a wash-out near Eau Claire and six sleepers were derailed. He stated that he was unhurt but that three people were killed. Mr. and Mrs. Schenk and child of Deerfield were on the train; Mrs. Schenk is a sister of Mrs. Harlow of this city.

WIFE WRITES HUSBAND THAT SHE HAS ELOPED

End of Mysterious Disappearance Comes as a Shock to Citizens of Neponset, Ill.

Neponset, Ill., Sept. 12.—After a week's search for Mrs. William Tuttle, in which the entire neighborhood south of this city joined, her mysterious disappearance is explained. Mr. Tuttle has received a letter from her stating that she is on her way west with their former farm hand, named Tracy.

Leaving her husband and 2-year-old boy at an old settlers' picnic, she disappeared as suddenly as though the earth had swallowed her up.

It is now learned that she and Tracy drove to Wyoming, from where Tracy returned in time to participate in the search for the missing woman. His return was a part of a clever ruse to throw off suspicion. The next day he joined Mrs. Tuttle, who had registered under an assumed name at a Wyoming hotel.

Neither Mr. Tuttle nor the neighbors suspected that any affection existed between the pair. The truth came like a thunderbolt to relatives and friends.

FLYING SPLINTER KILLS A MAN

Illinois Banker Struck In Eye by Wood, Which Pierces Brain.

Edwardsville, Ill., Sept. 12.—William Niemeyer of Mount Olive, banker and merchant, died at his home as the result of a wound by a flying splinter. Mr. Niemeyer started home from the postoffice and stopped on the sidewalk to glance at a newspaper. He became so absorbed that he did not notice the approach of a runaway team. The wagon the horses were dragging struck against a telegraph pole near him with such force as to drive from it a large splinter. The point of the splinter struck Mr. Niemeyer in the eye and penetrated so deeply as to reach the brain.

BOLD ROBBERS IN NORTH DAKOTA

ROB BANK IN TRUE JESSE JAMES STYLE.

ESCAPED ON A HAND CAR

They Were Heavily Armed—Succeeded in Getting Away with a Thousand Dollars.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.) Sioux Falls, S. D., Sept. 12.—With a bluster of guns and eight heavily armed desperados guarding every exit from the city the bank of Minnehaha at Valley Springs was this morning robbed in true Jesse James style and the robbers escaped without capture.

Heard Explosions. The entire city was aroused early this morning by the sound of an explosion and upon going into the streets found that armed patrols were guarding all exits. After securing a thousand dollars in cash the robbers escaped on a hand car.

EXHIBITS DESIGNS FOR HER FRIENDS

Mrs. E. C. Bailey Shows Burnt Wood—Will Display It at the Elk Horn Fair.

Mrs. E. C. Bailey is exhibiting her collection of burnt wood designs for her friends during this afternoon and evening, at her home at 201 Court street. Mrs. Bailey studied the work in Chicago for several years and the beautiful designs all show the hand of an artist.

The collection which adorns the rooms and halls embraces every branch of the work from small pieces to hall clocks and mural designs. One of the latter in course of completion is a figure of a page in graceful costume. This design when finished, will be set into the wall in one of the rooms of Mrs. Bailey's new home.

In the most difficult branch of the art, that of reproducing photographs, Mrs. Bailey is an adept and the number of burnt wood likenesses she has made, are very fine. One in particular of her father, is said to be especially true to life.

Mrs. Bailey, assisted by a former pupil, Mrs. George Hatch, will exhibit at the Elk Horn fair which will be held the middle of the present month. Only the smaller articles will be shown at the fair and the two ladies will conduct the one booth to be devoted to this art, together.

JAPAN SUSPICIOUS OF RUSSIA

Thinks Evacuation of Manchuria Will Be Avoided If Possible.

London, Sept. 12.—The British foreign office has received official confirmation of the dispatch from Peking, published Sept. 10, saying that the Russian minister at the Chinese capital had added two fresh conditions to those imposed on China as preliminary to the evacuation of the Manchurian province Oct. 8. This materially changes the optimistic view taken of the far Eastern situation which the Japanese held after the first reports of the Russian note. It is learned that Japan has advised all her representatives abroad of the details of the Russian demands, which she now evidently construes as a determination on the part of Russia to maintain her grasp on Manchuria.

Earthquakes in Portland. Portland, Ore., Sept. 12.—Two earthquake shocks were felt in this city. No damage was done, so far as known, although the largest brick buildings were shaken quite severely.

Three Shocks. Chehalis, Wash., Sept. 12.—Three distinct earthquake shocks were felt here. They lasted several seconds. No damage was done.

SECRETARY MOODY IS TO LEAVE THE CABINET

Tires of Living at \$20,000 Rate on an \$8,000 Income and Will Go Back to the Law.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 12.—The echoes of the Republican love feast at Baker Island are floating around the city. One thing which was settled, according to these reports, is that Secretary Moody is ready to retire from the navy department, despite the many assertions to the contrary. His resignation will come at the close of the present administration. Mr. Moody wants to get back to the practice of law. He has tried living at a \$20,000 rate on the \$8,000 income, and the experiment is not satisfactory.

Another rumor is that the United States ambassador to Italy, George Von L. Meyer, will continue at his diplomatic post, and also in the national committee. Party leaders say that President Roosevelt personally wants him, and his ability to raise money is what has brought this view about.

"But how about the Crane talk" the enthusiasts were asked, for it has been reported that ex-Governor W. Murray Crane would be the next national committeeman from Massachusetts.

"Oh, that is all right," the informant said. "Crane is going to be King pin in the next national committee, but he will be a member of the advisory board which will sit around Roosevelt. It will be a vastly more satisfactory place than national committeeman."

MIKE DELAVAN RE-ARRESTED

Man Who Administered Knock-Out Drops to Guest at Grand Hotel, Sent to House of Correction.

Mike Delavan, the criminal who was sent to prison for administering knock-out drops in the guise of a physician to a guest of the Grand hotel by the name of Smith and robbing him of his watch and money, was released this week and re-arrested a day later on the charge of impersonating an officer, and taken to the Milwaukee House of Correction. He was given three years on January 10, 1901. A photograph of him was received by Chief Hogan today. Officers are asked to look up his record.

Our Strenuous Life.

Foreigners seek in various ways to express their sense of the strenuousness of American life. An educated young Italian, who is a pupil in his own language, tried to express the idea with precision the other day. He said slowly and with much care: "Americans—do—everything—rush—ly."

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

It is probable Secretary Moody will decide in favor of eighteen 13,000-ton battleships Minnesota and Idaho.

The grand jury at Cynthia, Ky., returned an indictment against Juror Jap King for alleged false swearing in connection with the Jett-White case.

Burglars chloroformed the family of Chris Harnish near Dora, Ind., and secured considerable money and jewelry. As a result of the chloroform, Miss Lulu Harnish, a daughter, is in serious condition. The police of Long Island City, N. Y., believe they have in custody Charles Adams, accused of the murder of his aunt, Mrs. Mary Rogers, in Philadelphia in June, 1897, because she refused to accede to his demands for money.

John Raw of Fairmont, Ind., broke a leg and E. W. Esslinger of Danville, Ill., Conductor J. B. Taylor, M. L. Klett and Charles Seymour were injured in a street car accident at Lafayette, Ind. The car jumped the track and rolled down a thirty-foot embankment.

Edward Orpin has confessed at Portland, Ore., that since April he has committed highway robbery seven times and has set fire to seven buildings. His action in setting fire to different buildings has been the result of drunken revels, so he says. He had no other motive than a drunken desire to see the buildings burn.

Alleged irregularities have been discovered in the cigar department of the state penitentiary in Philadelphia and acting upon the suggestion of Inspectors Robinson and Hart United States internal revenue officials are investigating the institution. Warden Daniel W. Bussinger has been granted an indefinite vacation and Overseer Robert Armstrong, in charge of the cigar manufacturing department has been suspended.

Equipped with horseshoes, saddlers, carpenters and blacksmiths' outfits complete for use in the army, a motor car will leave New York for the war department in Washington in a few days. After inspection by the department officials it will be sent to Fort Leavenworth, Kan., for test in actual service. By use of the car repairs to the equipment or arms of the artillery, cavalry or infantry branches of the service can be made on the spot, or even while the forces are on the march.

SIX TRUE BILLS ARE RETURNED

Indictments in the Postal Frauds Grow in Number, and Conspiracy Is Charged.

A STOCK CONCERN

Beavers and Machen Own Stock Under Assumed Names in the Companies Favored.

Washington, Sept. 12.—United States District Attorney Beach has made public the names of six men named in the seven indictments returned by the federal grand jury on charges of fraud against the postoffice department.

The list is as follows:

George W. Beavers, former chief of the division of salaries and allowances, postoffice department.

August W. Machen, former general superintendent of the free delivery system, postoffice department.

James W. Erwin, former postoffice inspector, with headquarters in San Francisco.

George H. Hunter, part owner in Columbia Supply company, New York city.

Isaac S. McGlehan, part owner in Columbia Supply company, New York city.

Eugene D. Scheble, dentist, of Toledo, Ohio, interested in firm of Maybury & Ellis, Detroit, letter-box manufacturers.

Text of Indictments.

Beavers, Machen and Erwin are named jointly in one indictment for conspiracy to defraud the United States. Another indictment is against McGlehan, Huntington and Machen for conspiracy to defraud the United States, and still another is against the same three for conspiracy to commit bribery. Scheble and Machen are indicted jointly for conspiracy against the United States and again for conspiracy to commit bribery. Another indictment is against McGlehan and Huntington for bribery, and the last is against Machen singly for accepting bribes.

Supply Postal Devices.

All indictments are based on transactions relating to the supply of letter and package boxes and devices. The indictments against Beavers, Machen and Erwin charge that the Postal Device and Improvement company of San Francisco, formerly the Montague Indicator and Letter Box company, was composed almost entirely of western postal employees and that in 1889 it set aside 1,000 shares of stock for "forwarding its interests."

Armed with this authority, the president, Daniel S. Richardson, accompanied by Erwin, is said to have come to Washington. Erwin was then a postoffice inspector. He introduced Richardson to all the postoffice officials in Washington, and Beavers, Machen, Heath and others examined the device. An order for equipping 2,089 letter boxes with the device followed.

Federal Employees Own Stock.

About this time, at a suggestion from Beavers, concurred in by Machen, the name of the company was changed. Montague, whose name figured in the old corporation, is postmaster of San Francisco.

It was then arranged that all postoffice officials should disappear from its management. Beavers and Machen became the owners of blocks of the stock both under assumed names.

The company was then systematically relieved of its obligations in the way of paying freight, crating, painting and printing cards for the device it was furnishing.

Out of the 1,000 shares of stock set aside the most went to postoffice officials. The president of the company afterward came to Washington again, with the request that an increase be made in the compensation the company was receiving for its device. This request was granted. Dividends were afterward paid on the stock.

Orders Too Many Boxes.

The indictment against McGlehan and Huntington for bribery alleges that Machen procured the payment of \$1.25 additional to the contractor on each of the package boxes for a device to lift them higher from the ground. It is asserted that the sum should not have exceeded 75 cents. McGlehan is accused of agreeing to pay Machen 50 cents from each \$1.25.

The indictment against Scheble and Machen alleges that Scheble became interested with the firm of Maybury & Ellis of Detroit, of which Maybury is mayor, in securing contracts for furnishing letter boxes. It is claimed that in pursuance of a scheme to defraud the government Machen induced the department to order letter boxes for the rural free delivery service in quantities far in excess of what could be used, and, in his official capacity, approved the bills for them.



## LACE MAKERS OF THE OLD WORLD ARE WELL DESCRIBED

MRS. BOLLES TELLS OF MANY INTERESTING SUBJECTS.

JUST HOW THE LACE IS MADE

Woman Work for About Twenty Cents a Day to Make Beautiful Creations.

Lace making in Belgium is distinctively a woman's industry and to those who are interested in woman's work and industrial conditions in foreign countries the following letter from Mrs. Frances Sheldon Bolley will be especially interesting. It was written from Brussels after Mr. and Mrs. Bolley had visited the finest flax fields in the world and had seen the work in the fields and in the fields and in the retting and scutching places. After witnessing the preparation of the flax and its manufacture into the fine linen thread they saw the Flemish women at their tedious daily task, working from morning till night for about 20 cents a day.

"We reached Ghent night before last, coming down from Flushing. The people change very quickly from the Dutch though in Ghent we still have windmills and canals and the Flemish is about the same as the Dutch language. It becomes French, however, as one gets south. You should hear Henry (Mr. Bolley) try to buy tickets in a frantic hurry—one word Dutch, one French, one German and a general mixture of English. That and the amount of coin one has to handle about puts him in a nervous sweat at times. The Flemish are mostly Catholic so everywhere on the road yesterday were shrines.

"Ghent is a mixture of old and new. We went through the cathedral and at five left for Courtrai which is the great flax town of this part of the country—and we were there just at its height. We thought at first we should not find any of the men Henry wanted to see as they were all so busy but after breakfast Mr. Lencard came up and introduced himself and brought up a young man whose father owns a scutching place. So we were in great luck especially as the men spoke splendid English. We took a two seated open carriage and all went down to the retting place.

"All the flax here is used for linen—none for seed—and the preparation is very tedious. The river Lyx seems to have some peculiar bacteria in it for tempering the flax just right which no other river possesses so for fifty miles they say we would see just such activity as we saw yesterday. The bundles of flax are put perpendicularly in crates about 16 feet square, being packed very carefully with burlap around all the edges to keep out the mud of the river. The crates are then pushed into the river and sunk almost to the top. They are allowed to stay from five to ten days—the slower the retting the better. Then they are taken out and the flax tested to see that the germ is out. If right the bundles are spread like tents on the field to dry and then stacked for about a month. Then they are put in the river again, dried, etc. Sometimes it is retted three times. A peculiar smell comes from the process but it is not disagreeable.

"After the flax is well retted they take it to a scutching place to beat or break out the straw and get out the fibre. It is scutched twice and placed between times in a cool cellar. Then it comes out like hair and the finest is used for lace.

"I was told that lace makers lived around Courtrai so I inquired of the nice little girl who was the daughter of the hotel keeper and she told me to go to two sisters. We went and bought about \$35 worth of lace of them. I was afraid to get it before we came to Brussels but everyone said we could get it cheaper there. I find they were right but there was not the variety we can get here. I can get all I shall dare carry for the money I have I think. Already I have bought about \$50 worth and I expect to come back here in the fall on our way home.

"Brussels is full of lace and you would go crazy over it. They tell me that even the Venetian point is now made in Belgium. The rose point is beautiful here, the Flanders and the Bruges as well as the Venetian, is entirely needle work. The Brussels is spindle or hobbins and so is the Valenciennes but it is all spindle work, no braid being used. They called it Duchesse also. We shall try and see if we can get in and out of Russia safely with this lot. If so we shall come back for more.

"After we made our lace purchase of the Sisters near Courtrai we went to the hotel for dinner and then took the carriage again to look at the flax fields. We drove for miles over the best roads through the loveliest country and little villages where the women were all at the doors making lace. I was excited you can imagine. The men who buy up their work had been along a few days before so none of the women had long strips done. They were making the real torchon and Valenciennes, in the common patterns. I suppose all the fancy pieces are made in the factories under direction.

"I shall always have lots of respect for the real torchon. The poor women make not much more than a yard a day. The best workers on the Valenciennes can only earn a frame (20 cents) a day. The two laces are both made in the same way but the torchon is cotton and coarser while the Valenciennes is linen and made of very fine thread.

"The sight of these women at their lace making was very interesting.

est. They had a pillow with the pattern drawn by pricked pin holes on paper pinned down to it. Then they had the spindles or spools and darts and forth, changing the pins as the pattern advanced almost quicker than you could watch their hands. The old women did the best work. We bought three pieces, very cheap of course, but most of them had not a yard finished.

"I was sorry not to get more of the women—it was all so interesting. We paid five centimes (1 cent) more a yard than the man who buys and the women were so happy. The poor things sat out on the street working, three or four of them together in front of little brick houses which are right on the street. They seemed happy enough but it is constant work with them all. Some weed the flax and just now we saw group after group leaning over the sugar beets to weed them for less than a franc a day and the weather is getting fearfully warm too.

"The drive was all very interesting. We met many go carts, little wooden carts drawn by a dog. In one of them sat a great fat woman and her little husband by her side. The poppies and blue corn flowers were everywhere in the fields and the road was cabbled-stoned all the way. Fruit trees around here were frosted early so they are not doing much. Back to Courtrai at five, supper at the hotel and on the 7 o'clock train for Brussels.

"Here at Brussels we are in an elegant hotel at the government's expense. We had breakfast this morning on a balcony with flowers on the table and palms all around. We are missing the fine zulebach and honeybread we got in Holland, however. Here we have French rolls. Our room looks out on the Bourse (stock exchange) and the cathedral and hotel de ville or town hall steeples are not far away.

"This morning we awoke to a terrible din. Henry called it the chorus of dogs. He called me to the window and there below us the whole place was full of market women, their carts and dogs. Cauliflower, little yellow turnips, lettuce and peas everywhere with beautiful flowers, strawberries and cherries mixed in. Such a din as the women and dogs kept up for two hours or until 8 o'clock. Then a bell rang and they began to clear out. We tried to get down and get some photographs of them but fear we failed. A dog team, three dogs abreast and two girls with great baskets of La France roses are on top of each other in the rush I fear.

"After breakfast we took a carriage to find Henry's man who does flax business in Russia. Had a long drive afterwards and back for dinner to a cafe where they bled us to a dollar apiece for breakfast, fish and milk. Forty cents for two glasses of milk—all because we are Americans and it was very swell. One can't kick but I would prefer the money in lace here.

"Henry's business was sort of difficult here as he has business in America and they are so afraid here of American competition. Any foothold in Russia stops their sales here so the man whom he went to see was not anxious to impart information. However, he got the addresses he wanted.

"It has been a hard ten days. We were in eight towns in three days in Holland. We are to rest here tomorrow. Monday we go by way of Liège, stop to see one man and then to Cologne; down the Rhine Tuesday to Frankfurt; then north Wednesday to Halle to meet Mr. Bessier, who has been in Russia all last year; Thursday or Friday on to Berlin; over Sunday there and then Monday to St. Petersburg. We are traveling with hand baggage only. We do not need many clothes and have sent the trunks on to Moscow."

## SPRING BROOK IS FULL OF INTEREST

Personal Notes and Items from the Hustling Southern Section of the City.

James Ludington of Evansville is visiting with his son, Herbert Ludington.

Frank Kennedy of Prairie du Chien moved his family to Spring Brook and they are residing on Jerome avenue.

Mrs. Robert Cramer is visiting in Lake Mills.

The Jackson school will open Monday. A larger attendance than ever before is expected.

The carcass of a horse thrown in the thicket in the neighborhood of Buob's brewery some time ago still causes the residents of Spring Brook considerable annoyance. There has been some talk of a relief expedition.

George Warner, foreman of the street car barns, has moved his family away from Spring Brook. They are now living on North Jackson street.

Mrs. Price and son are visiting at Lake Mills.

The inhabitants of Spring Brook living along MeKey boulevard are growing impatient with the city authorities for not doing something to fill in the sink-holes on that thoroughfare. The street is in bad condition.

For Coughs and Colds, children take Place Care without objection Etc.

## WITH LINK AND PIN.

North-Western Road. Over fifty went to Duluth on the excursion train yesterday.

Fireman B. Starr is sick and off duty.

Over 250 "emptys" passed through Janesville on their way to the northern lumbering region today.

Neal Sullivan and Clerk Matthews are expected back from Milwaukee tomorrow.

James Niland, conductor on the way freight, returned this morning.

A. V. Lyle, operator at the Interlocking tower, went to Chicago yesterday.

Tower BX, tower BF, and the Chicago Highlands have been closed for the winter. The manual block will be operated from Barrington, Cary and Crystal Lake.

Operator Bingham, of the yard tower is on a hunting trip to Koshong today. F. J. Wells is relieving him.

St. Paul Road. Cornelius Harrison, engineer on the Mineral Point division is laying off.

Machinist Neal McVicker is at Beloit today.

District Passenger Agent W. W. Winton, was at the depot this morning.

Ticket Agent Justinger left for Milwaukee today to spend Sunday with his parents.

A new typewriter has been installed in the office of the operator.

On account of the continuation of the State fair over today, the Mineral Point passenger went through to Milwaukee this morning.

Notice has been given that from now on, owing to the anticipated cool nights, steam hose connections must be given careful attention, and that all trains moving at night should have the hose connected so that the cars may be warmed any time.

## NOTES OF THE RAILWAYS

Indications are that the shortage of cars among the railroads may prove more serious this year than ever before. Officials profess to take a cheerful view of the situation, but the fact remains that every road of any consequence is facing a car shortage and efforts are being made to bring about relief before the fall and winter.

Eastern and western roads are suffering alike, so there is no opportunity for borrowing to tide over an emergency. Information from the southwest is that the Rock Island, Santa Fe and Frisco roads are clamoring for cars, although all three added to their equipment during the past year. The Frisco wants 2,000 cars and is willing either to buy, charter or rent, providing the cars be sent at once. Agents of the roads in the southwest have sent word to headquarters that unless the cars are forthcoming soon the crops cannot be handled. The western trouble is not yet immediate, although it is pressing enough to demand attention from the freight officials.

In the east Pittsburg is most insistent in its demands for cars. Shippers claim that the companies are unable to handle the business, but, on the other hand, the railroads say their equipment is not returned to them. The Baltimore and Ohio claims it has thousands of cars tied up at the Lake Erie docks, but there are not vessels enough to handle the freight. In Cleveland there is a shortage of coal cars and in East Buffalo the situation is such that the officials of the New York Central are exerting every effort to supply their shippers, who are anxious to rush their grain elsewhere.

With a view to checkmating the Pennsylvania's move in purchasing the Pittsburg Coal company the Wabash railroad has secured 100,000 acres of coal land. The Pennsylvania's purchase made for the purpose of shutting the Wabash out of the soft coal traffic. The Wabash officials say that they will not go into the coal mining business unless the Pennsylvania forces them to do so.

The Milwaukee road is making preparations for the fall rush of traffic. The railroad yards along the La Crosse division are being improved and extra freight cars are running out of Portage every day.

The Soo road has perfected a reorganization and will comprise the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Ste. Marie; Minneapolis & St. Croix; Minneapolis & Pacific and Aberdeen, Bismarck & Northwestern.

It is said that the Wisconsin Central has won over in the attempt made to restore the normal rate of \$11.50 between Chicago and the twin cities and is ready to act with the other lines.

The millers at the head of the lakes have heard nothing of the proposed increase of rates on flour. Nothing of the raise has been heard by local millers.

The Great Salt Lake cut-off of the Southern Pacific road, which is being built at an estimated cost of \$13,000,000, will be completed in six months.

The Grand Trunk and the Clover Leaf roads have opened for traffic the Detroit & Toledo Shore line, which they jointly control.

## TALK CREMATION AT MILWAUKEE

FRANK D. KIMBALL AND D. RYAN ATTEND CONVENTION.

PRACTICE GROWS IN FAVOR

There Have Been Two Cremations of Janesville's Departed in Four Years

Sixty minutes and sixty years. There is a big difference between the two, at least a man who is "sent up" for life probably thinks so, when he hears the judge pronounce the sentence, but that is just the difference between cremation and the old method of burial. Frank D. Kimball, who has just returned from the Undertakers and Embalmers' convention that was recently held in Milwaukee, witnessed the cremation of a body at a special meeting in Forest Home cemetery. While he has seen the operation a great number of times before, this test was especially interesting as Mr. Pirie, one of the directors of the Milwaukee cemetery lectured on the subject. "No person," said Mr. Kimball, "who has seen some of the different stages that the dead body must go through with before it is reduced to dust would prefer to be buried the ordinary way rather than cremated. It takes about 35 years for a body to change to earth, and then some of the larger bones are usually left intact, but by sixty years, practically all that remains of a buried person, under ordinary circumstances, is a handful of dust.

When Cremated. A body is cremated, just about sixty minutes, or to be exact, an hour and six minutes are all that is necessary to reduce the form to ashes and the sight is not at all repulsive, to either women or men and the practice of thus disposing of bodies of those who have "joined the great majority" is yearly becoming in greater favor with all classes.

Mr. D. Ryan also attended the convention and returned much pleased with Milwaukee's hospitality and with the work of the meetings. There were six different meetings, lectures and entertainments arranged for the members of the association and the three days spent in Milwaukee were instructive as well as enjoyable.

The Test Made. Mr. Kimball and Mr. Ryan both witnessed the test at the crematory from beginning to end and spoke interestingly of this system which is gradually changing the trend of public opinion on the subject. Mr. Kimball likened the burning of the body in the retort to the slow movement of the minute hand of a watch, which moves so slowly that the change in position is hardly perceptible, yet upon careful observation the hand can be seen to turn steadily around the dial of the time piece. So in the cremation, the body cannot be seen to burn, but it gradually fades from sight in the white heat glow of the receptacle.

The Methods. The mode of operation is as follows: The body remains in the casket which is placed before the door of the retort. This is made of fire brick and just large enough to receive the box. In the space above the coffin, when the latter is placed within the retort, are three metal pipes on each side, coming out of the side walls. Out of these pipes kerosene is forced and it is the burning of this oil, with a heavy draught that causes the intense heat which consumes everything.

Is Red Hot. Before the cremation the receptacle is heated red hot and then allowed to cool until the bricks become grey colored. At this point the two sets of door in one end are opened and the casket run in on wooden rollers, first having glass handles, and all iron work removed. Near the head-end of the apartment is an opening about half a foot square with glass set in the frame, this is removed out far enough from the bricks to prevent the glass melting, through this aperture, the entire process can be observed.

All is Seen. When the wood of the coffin is burning the view is darkened but after this stage, the changing of the remains to ashes can be plainly seen through the glass. All liquid evaporates, and all that is left is a line of clean dry ashes from one to three inches deep. These are swept into and urn or vase or placed in a specially made metal case, and this is buried or kept according to the fancy of those who were nearest to the departed in life.

## GOOD WEATHER FOR CORN CROP

There Will Be a Fine Yield, if the Present Temperature Continues Two Weeks.

"The warm weather of recent days is a blessing to the corn crop, which was retarded on account of the cool spell of last month. The early planted crop is practically ripe and if the present temperature continues for a week, the corn will be satisfactory. If, however, the crop could remain in the field two weeks longer, under good weather conditions, it would produce an excellent yield. Corn fodder is plentiful as is also the hay crop. The tobacco harvest is now in full swing. Great fears are entertained for the potatoes, which are rotting in the ground. As a result the tubers may become a costly eatable this coming winter.

The past few days have been quite sultry and it seems as though Rev. Hicks' prognostications for September were correct.

## CHEAP COAL IS MADE OF CLAY

Young Chicago Inventor Makes a Wonderful Transformation—Finer Than Anthracite.

It is said that there is nothing new under the sun, but it will appear that the old adage is still far from being true if the experiments made in Milwaukee recently are more than theories. The Milwaukee Sentinel says of the project to turn common clay into good hard coal the following:

For purposes of interesting Milwaukee capital, Homer F. A. Warkentin, B. S. and M. C. A. S., 418 Newport avenue, Chicago, yesterday afternoon, in the back yard at 453 Jefferson street, turned sticky red clay from Cudahy into smokeless coal. The demonstration was attended by Circuit Judge Warren D. Tarrant, Attorney C. E. Haring, and Charles Dixon, among others.

The metal pails or pots and a porcelain dish, surrounded by mysterious looking bottles, graduated, and baskets of clay, figured in the experiments. The young inventor took chunks of clay of the different species and put it in separate pails, and one kind went into a dish, with a board over it. Then he poured something into the pails out of a large bottle, following it with a deluge of something out of a graduate. This mixture was permitted to "work" awhile, and then came the application of the newly invented chemical agent, which turned into smoke as soon as the air struck it. The pots of clay were permitted to remain untouched for some time, and when they were finally opened there was a shiny, crisp substance, that looked like anthracite and which the demonstrator said costs but \$1.05 a ton.

This is what is claimed of it: With fifty tons of clay, forty-one tons of coal can be made through the chemical change. There also drips out of the percolated mass about twenty-nine pounds of aluminum.

"The process is a clear proposition," said Mr. Warkentin. "It is simply the extraction of the aluminum, and the transformation of the heat-producing qualities, which abound in clay into the form into which it is found in coal, by a chemical change, and the injection of carbon into it, in an inexpensive manner. The Arizona college of mining has endorsed the invention, as have also the chemists at the Smithsonian institute. We have sent the apparatus to several great institutions together with the solution which will cause the change and all have made the tests themselves, and written back words of praise. We are to capitalize the company to exploit the invention at Chicago with \$5,000,000, and will put plants in Illinois and Wisconsin."

The preparations are poured into a top can, and trickle down on the clay, changing that common stuff into vari colored chunks of brilliant and sparkling coal. The aluminum is also separated and the chemicals trickle into the lower compartment and are saved, but this was not used yesterday.

Warkentin is a graduate of the Lewis Institute, Chicago, and is doing some work at the University of Chicago.

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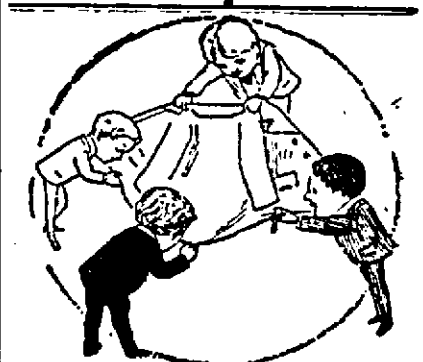
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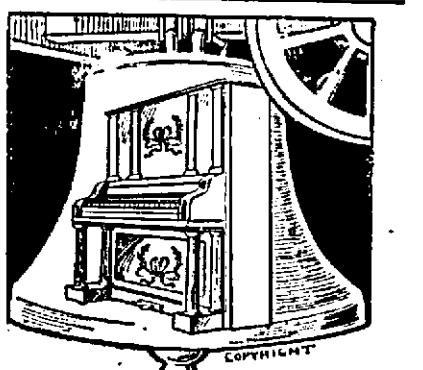
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## Little Readers of The Gazette.

The Gazette will publish in future in its Saturday issue a column for children. The articles contributed will be from the pen of a lady who for years was connected with the Chicago Jewish mission work. They will be found interesting for children.

## CHILDHOOD SCENES.

Sue is a brunette with a bushy head of coal black hair cut straight across at the nape of the neck—after the approved fashion for little girls—so it resembles a clothes brush; eyes black and large that look over two full red cheeks and a dimpled chin; a mouth which discloses a set of even white teeth when she laughs so you could easily count most of them; a chubby form; feet that trip each other up; arms bent at the elbow when she runs and which swing like the pendulums unless she falls down; dressed—well, "like a little tramp" her mama says.

Majorie is a slight little form with a curly red head held erect and arms carried straight by her side as she skips lightly along; eyes of pale blue under light eyelashes; to any question she replies: "What?" dressed—well, "like a little princess" Sue's mama says.

These two children are the dearest of friends playing together from early morning until Marjorie is too tired to go home to supper. One evening she stood on top of the gate and said "I won't" to the appeals of everybody until left to herself, then she changed her mind and brushing away the tears with her bonnet ties she sauntered across the lawn, stopping to pick a flower or two.

At Sue's is a sandpile in which they make roads and build bridges for little tin wagons, or fill flower pots and put plants in them; but best of all throw showers of sand just to feel it come down on their heads. Their mamas say these sand showers must be stopped. Marjorie thinks so too when the comb most pulls off her curls.

At Marjorie's the hammock—the

new one that hangs under the trees is a source of joy and sometimes a resting place. Today, Sue was heard to say "Swing me higher Marjory; swing me high as the sky; higher! swing me so high God can see my feet."

Together the children own a robin's nest built high in an oak tree and one day while mother robin hopped from bough to bough coaxing baby robin to try to fly, one stretched its wings and fell to the ground. Somebody's puss—not Marjorie's nor Sue's but somebody's puss hidden under the white lilac bush, at once sprang out, and such a chirping! down flew the mother bird and with her angriest tones and daring thrusts at the offender, tried to protect her little one, but too late—with one paw the little voice was silenced and there was mourning in birdland. Sue and Marjorie cried too.

Then there was a sparrows' nest built behind an open window blind high, near the roof of the house. At breakfast time mother sparrow would sit on the eggs while father sparrow flew away and returned presently with a bit of food and would disappear behind the blind for an instant then come out and swing on the electric light wire the proudest father bird. So the children watched until one day three young sparrows were seen on a tree near by and the next day they had flown away. Where the blind was closed there was the nest made of grass and twine and strips of cloth; Marjorie found a piece of her pink dress—she thought—and Susie's white hair ribbon.

Sue has learned how the birds drink from the tub of water that is nearly concealed by the trumpet vines and she is teaching Marjorie. So these wingless birds with dripping chins and wet collars refresh themselves as the robins, the sparrows and the bluejay do.

A new playmate has been found! To be continued. . . . .

Misses Elenor and Elizabeth Hatch, of Evanston, Ill.

Mrs. Arthur Barrington entertained a party of lady friends at her home on Court street this afternoon.

Mrs. T. O. Howe entertained a number of friends at her Division street home this afternoon.

Miss Mary Barker entertained several of her young lady friends Friday afternoon.

The Woman's Union Label league will hold a harvest ball at Assembly hall, Tuesday evening, Sept. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Alken, 53 Ruggier avenue, are entertaining Miss Nettie Lowe of Delavan.

Mrs. Edward H. Peterson entertained at cards at her home on Pleasant street, this afternoon.

Mr. A. J. Reese and daughter, Retta, of Evansville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Spencer.

Miss Margaret McGiffen who has been visiting in Edgerton, returned to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Bates have returned from a trip to Chicago and Michigan points.

Mrs. David Holmes entertained twelve ladies at lunch during the week just ended.

Mrs. Charles Hatson, of Edgerton, visited with friends in the city yesterday.

Miss Hirlinger, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. H. A. Ford.

G. E. Belknap, of Chicago, is making a short visit in the city.

E. M. Maynard is entertaining his brother from Michigan.

Miss Mae Treat is home from Lake Geneva.

## Town Talks.

A red hot poker is kept on the counter in front of the soda water stand at Smith's drug store. Mr. Smith says it is not kept there to make people believe that the weather is warm, so the public will get thirsty when they hover in that neighborhood but only as an adornment to the store. In fact the red hot poker is not hot, but only looks so and resembles some people in that respect. It is quite harmless, and is simply a peculiar flower which Charles Patterson brought down town, the other morning. It is a red like affair, and colored a bright red, hence its name. Mr. Patterson procured the bulb from which the queer plant grew in the east a year ago. Last summer there was only one blossom but this year, there are four in his garden. During the winter the plant is kept in sand and put in the garden early in spring. The scientific name for the flower is "Tritoma" but it is almost altogether known by the more common appropriate title.

## GIANT ENGINE IS NOW PLANNED

Schenectady Works Are Building the Largest Locomotive in the World.

An order has just been placed with the Schenectady works of the American Locomotive company for a heavy articulated compound freight locomotive to be exhibited at the St. Louis exposition and afterward used in hauling freight trains over the Alleghany mountains. The estimated weight in working order is 270,000 pounds. The entire weight is carried on the six pairs of driving wheels, there being no trucks, so that every pound of weight is available for adhesion. The tractive power will be 63,000 pounds, or 50 per cent. greater than the present heaviest locomotive used by the road.

The three rear pairs of drivers are operated by two high pressure cylinders, and are rigid with the boiler and frames. The three forward pairs are operated by two low-pressure cylinders and are articulated, or jointed, to the rear frames, arranged to move freely transversely, so as to allow freedom in passing sharp curves. This makes a very flexible construction, as the rigid wheel base of the engine is only ten feet, while the entire driving wheel base is 30 feet 6 inches.

The locomotive will be operated by one engineer. It is estimated that two of these engines will haul as much freight on the heavy mountain grades as three of the heaviest engines now in use. One of the head officers of the American Locomotive company said to the Sun correspondent:

The engine will be built after the French design of Mallet, at least something on that principle, having a six-coupled high-pressure engine under the rear end of the boiler, and a six-coupled low-pressure engine under the forward end of the boiler, the forward engine being arranged with a swinging or swivelling motion, so that the engines assume separately a radical position to curves. A considerable number of engines of this general design, although considerably lighter, are in service on mountain divisions of roads in Germany and Switzerland. We are to build ours much heavier than anything heretofore attempted.

The Baltimore & Ohio road recently procured from the General Electric company here the largest electric locomotive in the world for use in the tunnel at Baltimore. With this new compound from the locomotive works the road will also have the largest steam locomotive in the world.

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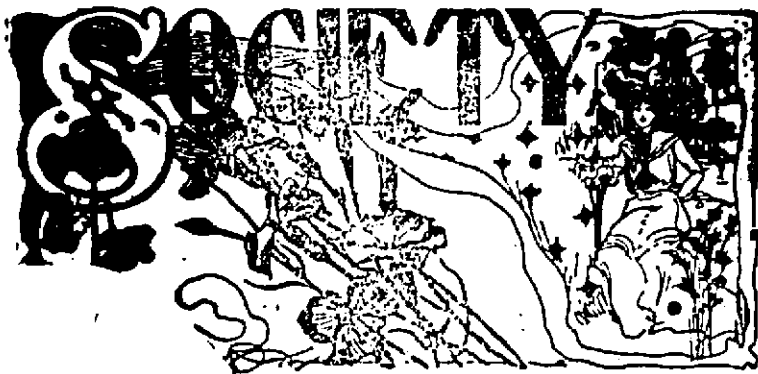
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Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of Janesville, in said County, on the 1st Tuesday being the fifth day of October, 1903, at nine o'clock A. M. the following matter will be heard and considered:  
The application of Anna L. McKenney for the appointment of an administratrix of the estate of Charles F. Handhill, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.  
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Student W. P. Christy, who has been in charge of St. Peter's (English) Evangelical Lutheran church during the summer, will leave Monday for his home in Ohio, previous to taking up his last year's work at the seminary in Chicago, beginning October 1st.

Mr. Christy has won the confidence and good will of both members and friends of the congregation of which his own popularity and the increased membership as well as attendance at the services, give evidence. He will continue in charge of the work during the winter, but will have the assistance of another student alternating with him in conducting the Sunday services.

Mr. Christy likes Janesville very much, having faith in its future, and it is reassuring for members and friends of the congregation to know that he is likely to accept the call which will soon be extended to him to become the ordained pastor of St. Peter's next spring.

Last night at the Caledonian rooms a reception was tendered Mr. Christy and in a few, but well chosen words, Prof. C. H. Hemmingway on the part of the congregation, presented Mr. Christy with \$30.00 in gold, as a slight token of their appreciation of his faithful work. In his response Mr. Christy said that he received it not only for its intrinsic value, but much more because of the good will and love which he knew had prompted the gift, and while thanking them all he asked God's blessing to rest upon the work in the future. Rev. A. C. Andia spoke a few words of encouragement and cheer, and Mrs. Christine Hawley's presence added very much to the musical part of the program. Refreshments were served and a most enjoyable evening spent.

About thirty-five guests assembled last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Douglas, 57 Caroline street in honor of the fifth anniversary of their wedding and brought with them a number of handsome presents. At 9:30 a three course luncheon was served in the dining room which had been profusely decorated with white and yellow asters and smilax. Williams' Mandolin club was present and played several selections while luncheon was being served and during the evening. After luncheon the balance of the time was devoted to cards, the first prizes going to Mrs. Knaub and William C. Winbiger, the consolations to Mrs. C. A. Webster and James Earle. A number of guests were present from Beloit and Sharon, also Miss Bertha Burgett of St. Paul.

Miss Cora Soverhill entertained a party of about thirty-five of her young lady friends last evening at a five o'clock tea at her home, 111 Washington street. The gathering was in honor of Miss Eva Jessup of Chicago, and Miss Richardson of Evansville. The home had been handsomely decorated with cut flowers and plants and the tea table was a pretty picture. The evening was devoted to games at various kinds and musical selections by the hostess and members of the party. It was a pleasant party and was enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. Mabel Dunwiddie, past chief of honor of Olive Lodge, No. 27, D. of H. A. O. U. W., went to Madison Thursday evening, to assist the grand chief of honor, Mrs. Ella Page of Harbino, Wis., to institute a Degree of Honor lodge. The lodge will be known as Madison Lodge, No. 17, D. of H. A. O. U. W.

Twelve friends of Mr. Lawrence Doty, who is employed in a Chicago jewelry house, met him at the station on his recent visit home and took him on a hack rack party into the country where an old fashioned corn roast was held. It was a surprise to Mr. Doty and the evening was most enjoyably spent.

Next Tuesday a special event will be arranged at the golf links the details of which, however, have not been decided upon. On that day will also occur the matches for the Baker stein and the Schaller cup.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Jeffris and son Kenneth arrived here yesterday after an extended trip through the west. Mr. David Jeffris who journeyed with them also returned home.

Mrs. Paul Olsen of this city learned yesterday that her daughter, Mrs. I. J. Brown, of Miller, South Dakota, died at her home from the effects of an operation.

Miss Elizabeth McKee entertained at luncheon on Tuesday last in honor of Miss Juliette Bostwick who will shortly return to Wellesley to finish her course there.

H. M. Brinkerhoff and wife arrived from Chicago yesterday in their automobile. They stayed in the city a short time.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Judd and Mrs. E. P. Doty went to Rockford yesterday and spent the day in the Forest City.

Mrs. H. L. McNamara entertained yesterday afternoon in honor of



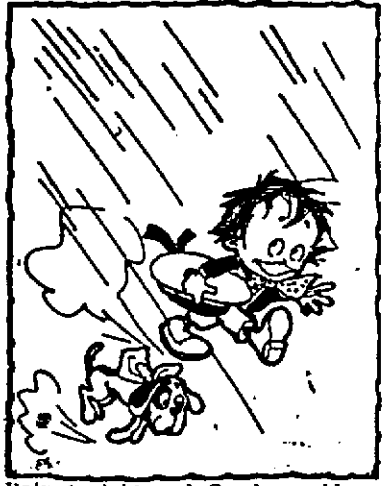
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Back in the days of sacred history there lived a young man by the name of David. He was a shepherd boy, and his rugged life in the hills of Judea had developed courage in rare degree.

His brothers were in the army, whose forces were encamped in the neighborhood, and the boy David was sent from home one Saturday to visit them. The donkey which he led, was laden with food and thoughtful mother for her soldier boys.

As the lad approached the encampment, his attention was attracted to a large man heavily clad in armor who occupied a commanding position on the hill side across the valley. He was in defiant mood and challenged, in loud voice, any man among his enemies to come out and meet him.

David was told that the challenge had been repeated for many days. He said, "Why don't some of you fellows take it up? I am not afraid to go over and meet him single handed and alone."

And then his brothers laughed at him and said, "You talk like an idiot David, you had better go home and tend your father's sheep, you would look well fighting with a giant."

But the boy was not a coward, and he reminded the boys of some of his experiences, with which they were familiar. Word was taken to the king, that a young man had volunteered to go out and meet the man who defied his army and so David was summoned to the court.

When the king saw the lad he tried to discourage him, but when he found him anxious to make the effort, he had him clad in armor and equipped with implements of warfare, and sent him forth, bidding him God speed.

David went out from his presence, and laid aside the armor. Crossing a little brook he stopped and gathered five smooth pebbles and placed them in his shepherd bag, and then taking from his pocket a leather sling, and adjusting a pebble, he climbed the hill to meet the man who had terrorized the army.

When the giant saw him approaching he was amused and he said, "Am I a dog that thou comest to me with staves?"

"And David said, 'No you are mistaken. I come to thee in the name of the Lord of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom thou hast defied, and I will not only take thy life but the army which you represent shall be completely routed; and then he hurled the pebble and smote the Philistine in the forehead and killed him."

This little story introduces one of the leading characters of olden times. The boy started out in the morning, a shepherd lad, but he never returned to his vocation.

The experience of a day made him the idol of a nation and transformed the current of his life. He became a member of the king's household and a valiant leader in his army, but his popularity proved his downfall and resulted in his being driven forth and hunted like a fugitive by the man Saul who had exalted him.

These conditions continued for years, until the king was slain in battle and then David was selected as his successor.

When he was forth to establish his kingdom, he hunted up the men who had been loyal to the old king, and said to them in a voice that inspired confidence.

"Now therefore let your hands be strengthened, and be ye valiant; for your master Saul is dead, and also the king of Judah have appointed me king over them."

This announcement marked the second great experience in his life, and the "now therefore" is expressive of great significance.

Many people are possessed of the notion that this is a world of chance but it is a mistaken notion.

The trend of life changes, frequently without our volition, but there is usually a "Now therefore" behind the change. The command is seldom uttered in audible voice, but it is just as imperative. It comes to all classes and to every age and condition of life.

The young man is spending his first year in college. He is laying the foundation for a professional career and the home is making sacrifice in his behalf.

A telegram starts him with the announcement that his father is dangerously ill. He hurries home but arrives too late for a message from the lips that had so long spoken words of cheer and encouragement.

He stands by the open grave and realizes for the first time that he is a man, responsible for his own acts, and dependent upon his own judgment.

As he sits by his mother in the shadow of the evening and realizes in a measure her great loneliness, a voice whispers in his ear, "Now therefore," and the path of duty is so plain that he can not fail to recognize it.

Putting aside ambition, and demolishing the castles that hope has builded, he says, in a voice that has in it the ring of determination, "Well mother I am coming home to fill as best I can the place made vacant, and try as best I can to make you comfortable."

The mother appreciates the sacrifice, and while her heart is heavy with sorrow, she thanks God for a boy who is willing to make it.

The whole current of this young man's life was changed in an hour, not by chance, but by a Providence that is frequently difficult to comprehend.

The door of opportunity is ever an open door, and over the portals is inscribed the invitation, "Now therefore", bidding entrance and urging acceptance.

In this busy rushing age, when life is so restless, or bent on pleasure, the doorway and the invitation is all too frequently overlooked. As a result many young people go out into life unprepared for its work, and enter upon a haphazard existence which can only result in failure and disappointment.

That young couple going down the street, are to be married in a few days. They are as well dressed as any people in sight, and have been society leaders. Neither of them possess wealth and his salary is never sufficient for the demands of the week.

When the knot is tied, that seals the wedding compact, there will be written over the archway in invisible letters the terse sentence, "Now therefore", and as time advances, and the honeymoon wanes, there will come to both of them the realization that life is more than a butterfly existence.

They will also be conscious of the fact that they were entered into the close relations of man and wife. He will discover that his sweetest smiles were reserved for society, while she may detect that he is a smaller man at close range than she supposed.

Both will be disappointed, but the compact is for life. What will be the result? That all depends upon how manhood and womanhood develop in the experiences that come to every new home.

That boy about to enter the saloon, is stopped by a friend at the doorway, who says to him in a voice of entreaty, "I wouldn't go in, John, you are on dangerous ground and you ought to respect the best mother that a boy ever had."

There has come across his pathway the "Now therefore" opportunity, and his future may depend largely upon whether or not he heeds the warning.

The church doors swing wide open every Sunday, and ringing bells invite to worship. Invisible hands point to the inscription, "Now therefore" and every good impulse prompts to compliance and acceptance.

The world will be better when the unwritten law that governs moral actions, are more closely observed.

## PRESS COMMENT

Waukesha Freeman: The cartoon campaign commenced in Wisconsin. But oh! what cartoons they are.

Watertown Republican: The nation has heaved a sigh of relief. Tillman says he wants to quit the lecture platform.

Madison Democrat: That new \$20 counterfeit has few terrors for most of us. A 20 cent Canadian piece is more to be feared.

Manitowish Pilot: Owners of automobiles must consider that they do not own the road and that other persons have some rights to the use of it.

Oshkosh Time: Judge Gray says his presidential boom does not amount to anything, and the judge is a man of pretty keen perception.

Marquette Eagle and Star: Miss Ellen Stone might remind some body that her ransom money might be collected by the American warships in Turkey.

Geneva Herald: Now if Senator Tillman will hire a colored chambermaid to refuse to make his bed he will get some not much needed advertising.

Ashland Press: And now the En-

glish papers are saying mean things about Sir Thomas Lipton. They are saying that his only qualification is that he can foot the bill.

Kenosha News: The bicycle riders who insist on using the sidewalk are beginning to make nuisances of themselves again and another raid by the police will be in order shortly.

Eau Claire Telegram: Sir Thomas Lipton is to be presented with a silver service as a memento from the American people. It will not be "American as gold" as the cup, but it will be the best that can be had.

Superior Telegram: Grover Cleveland assumes to be humorous over the matter of protection. It makes little difference now as to what he does or says in regard to protection but there were times when it did and they didn't prove faulty.

Evening Wisconsin: If the state fair management carries out its promise of barring fakirs from the grounds it will do much toward adding to the aesthetic success of the fair, and will set an example which the managers of other fairs, big and little, will do well to follow.

Eau Claire Telegram: If they are accurately quoted, neither the governor of Arkansas nor the pugilistic associate justice is capable of making a statement in pure English. Therefore, the fact that they can't debate without a scrap is not surprising.

Beloit Free Press: After reading Senator Johnson's letter, one ceases to be surprised that the private secretary couldn't see his way clear to permitting Senator Whitehead to speak at the Evansville fair at the conclusion of Gov. La Follette's address.

Evening Wisconsin: Women in Wisconsin won't be likely to wear the remains of song birds on their hats if they are compelled to warble explanations to game wardens, whose determination to begin a military crusade is commendable.

Chicago News: When it becomes generally known that the socialist of Germany have refused a list of officers through principle will it have a tendency to check the growth of the socialist party in this country?

Oshkosh Northwestern: The hardest blow of all to Sir Thomas would be to have some other British challenger come over next year and succeed in capturing the cup.

Milwaukee News: At any rate Turkey has been impressed with the fact that the United States has become a world power.

Oshkosh Times: Lucky Chippewa county! It has sold its poor farm, having no further use for it.

## WINDOW GLASS PRICES DROP

Jobbers' Combination Dissolves and Manufacturers' Tottling.

Marion, Ind., Sept. 12.—The window glass situation is said to be critical. Prices have dropped 25 per cent. The Jobbers' combination has dissolved, the manufacturers' combinations are tottering and, it is said, will be dissolved shortly. Owing to the quoting of a reduction of 25 per cent in the price of glass by some of the large Jobbers the manufacturers will be unable to operate their plants at the high prices paid for material and the 10 per cent increase in wages over last blast. The result, it is said, will be the dissolution of the manufacturers' combine, the repudiation of the wage scale recently signed and every man will be compelled to fight his own battle.

## RESULTS OF FRIDAY'S GAMES

National League.  
 Brooklyn, 3; Chicago, 2.  
 Philadelphia, 7; Pittsburgh, 2.  
 American League.  
 St. Louis, 6; Chicago, 3.  
 Philadelphia, 5; New York, 4.  
 Cleveland, 5; Detroit, 0.  
 Boston, 2; Washington, 1.  
 American Association.  
 St. Paul, 6; Milwaukee, 0.  
 Minneapolis, 7; Kansas City, 2.  
 Louisville, 5; Columbus, 1.  
 Indianapolis, 6-3; Toledo, 4-5.  
 Western League.  
 Colorado Springs, 7; Kansas City, 1.  
 Milwaukee, 6; Omaha, 2.  
 St. Joseph, 4; Denver, 1.  
 Des Moines, 1-5; Peoria, 6-1.  
 Three-Base League.  
 Rock Island, 3-2; Davenport, 2-2.  
 Springfield, 3-2; Rockford, 0-5.  
 Decatur, 2; Cedar Rapids, 1.  
 Bloomington, 10; Dubuque, 1.  
 Central League.  
 Evansville, 6; South Bend, 5.  
 Wheeling, 10; Marion, 7.  
 Dayton, 3; Grand Rapids, 1.  
 Fort Wayne, 4; Terre Haute, 2.

## MYERS GRAND OPERA HOUSE

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Wednesday Sept 16th  
 The Big Scenic Production

## "At Cripple Creek"

Hal Reid's best Play

Presented by  
 A Capable Company of  
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## 4 BIG ACTS

OF SCENIC GRANDEUR  
 NOVEL EFFECTS  
 Production Carried Complete.

PRICES—75, 50, 25c. Sale opens Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.  
 COMING—Richard Carle in "The Tenderfoot."

**PURITY**  
 A pleasant odor or a pretty color pleases the senses yet these qualities are often used to disguise impurities in soap. Intelligent people and physicians understand this point, therefore in cases calling for a pure soap insist on using and recommending castile soap made from olive oil. No animal fat, no artificial color, no strong perfume to disguise disgusting odors of over-ripe animal substances.  
 Castile soap cheap enough to use for laundry purposes, pure enough to use on your baby. We have received 500 pounds of pure white castile soap in one-pound bars which ordinarily are worth 20 cts. We will sell them commencing tomorrow at 11c per bar. We want you to use it, feeling certain to make a delivery at every sale. Respectfully  
 BADGER DRUG CO.

## Old... Colonial Furniture

HIGH PRICES are being paid these days for old colonial style furniture. Look into your garret and see if you have an old chair, sofa or dining room piece—then make the fact known in the Gazette classified column. Results will follow.

Letters at this office await: "V W W" "D L" "Board" "J" "V X" "E Q" "C E R" "D A" "X"

WANTED—Good strong boy to work in ship-ping department. Bassett & Eells.

WANTED AT ONCE—400 pounds clean wip-ing rags. Price 34c per pound. Gazette Press Rooms.

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WANTED—Boy 11 or 13 years old. Inquire at office at 9 o'clock a. m. Schlitz Brewing Company.

MAN with references, for commercial travel, to call on merchants and agents; experience not required; salary \$24 per week, with expenses advanced. National, 332 Dearborn St., Chicago.

WANTED—Farmers for Virginia, fine climate; fish, oysters, hunting. Big money trucking; 200 acres and 8-room house \$2500. Real Estate Trust Co., Richmond, Va.

WANTED—Furnished room, select family, where piano is in home. Will give lessons on voice culture in exchange. Just returned from Italy. Prof. Philip Edward Beer, General Delivery.

WANTED—Two ladies; good address, to appoint demonstrators, \$15 per week and expenses, with advancement. Experience unnecessary. Commercial line; no books or canvassing. State time and place for interview. Address "Special" care Gazette.

WOMAN WANTED to sell a necessity to mothers. \$12.00 a week clear. Dept. M. Box 78, Philadelphia.

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Northwestern Building and Loan Association, Madison, Wis.

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I would like to sell three and one half

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Two of these lots have a frontage of eight rods or 132 feet on Conrad St. and a south front on Boundary line of 18 rods or 297 feet on Wells St.

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## LABOR UNIONS ATTACK HOGAN

WISCONSIN STATE FEDERATION  
OF LABOR ISSUES CIRCULAR.

### HAVE DISTRIBUTED LETTERS

Allege That He Has Used Labor  
Unions for His Own Per-  
sonal Gain.

The Wisconsin State Federation of Labor are sparing no means of informing the general public and the general public and the union men of Beloit the true status of R. D. Hogan, and his connection with the labor world outside of Beloit.

**Bitter Arraignment**  
The circular letter which was distributed by hand in Beloit is filled with facts about Mr. Hogan and his alleged methods used in furthering his own private ends under the guise of labor. The letter is signed by Fred Brockhausen, secretary and treasurer of the Wisconsin State Federation of Labor.

**Asks for Hearing**  
The letter is filled with alleged misconduct on the part of R. D. Hogan and was sent to Beloit to be distributed on Labor day but Manager Wilson of the opera house was afraid to do so and a Janesville firm was appealed to and the circulars were put at every door. Five thousand were distributed. Three thousand went into the workmen's hands and two thousand were left at each door.

## BISHOP EIS WITH REV. FATHER GOEBEL

Is in the City with His Secretary,  
Rev. Stehling—at Catholic  
Churches Sunday.

The Right Reverend Bishop Els, of Marquette, Mich., said mass this morning at St. Mary's church. He arrived in the city last evening accompanied by his secretary, Rev. Stehling, and both gentlemen are the guests of Father Goebel. The bishop will say mass at 7:30 o'clock on Sunday morning. The sacrament of confirmation will be administered during the nine o'clock mass at St. Mary's church on the same day.

This service will be a high mass and one of Wiegand's celebrated masses will be sung. Miss Elsie Korner, teacher of vocal music at the institute for the blind, will sing the offertory. Bishop Els will be at St. Patrick's church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

## SNEAK THIEF ROBS MRS. BURR

Takes Her Pocketbook from Buggy,  
But Secures Nothing of  
Value.

A bank book left by Mrs. L. E. Burr, in her buggy yesterday afternoon, while she went on a shopping tour, was taken by some sneak thief who evidently saw her leave the book in the rig. The book contained only a number of cancelled checks and the treasurer of the Art League's report which office Mrs. Burr holds. The cancelled checks had previously been obtained from the bank with a sum of money but the latter she kept with her in a pocketbook. The papers are of no value to anyone except the owner but the loss of the report prevented the reading of it later in the afternoon.

## PLOWMAKERS PICNIC. CROWD GO TO BELOIT

Ho-No-Ne-Gah Park the Scene of  
Janesville Machine Com-  
pany's Outing.

At last the Janesville Machine company's employees picked out a pleasant day for their picnic, after two unsuccessful attempts, during the last two months and left on the interurban for Ho-No-Ne-Gah park this morning. Quite a crowd went on the early cars and by nine o'clock over a hundred of the "sons of labor" had left with their families for a day of rest and enjoyment at the pretty park near Beloit.

This is the fifth annual picnic of the employees and present appearances indicate that it was the most successful of any. A supply of badges was left at Baker's drug store for the funmakers to distinguish themselves. The total number that went was between three and four hundred. Nearly all took their dinners with them and the usual sports participated in at a basket picnic were indulged in. A program was also arranged and besides speaking, and music for the crowd had a band of their own; there were athletic contests, games and races. An enjoyable time was had by all.

### REPORTORIAL GLEANINGS

Mrs. Bert Gage of McFarland who has been visiting friends in Janesville for the past few days, returned to her home today.

Charles Clark of Milwaukee was in the city on business today. Attorney Arthur Fairchild of Milwaukee was in the city on business today.

On Monday Next: Camp No. 366, M. W. of A., will meet at West Side Odd Fellows hall Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nash left this morning for Chicago where they will visit with their daughter.

Mrs. John Cunningham went to Milton last night.

## AN ACT OF HEROISM BY JANESVILLE BOY

Jumps Into the River Near Monterey  
Bridge and Rescues a  
Chum.

Ward Ryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ryan, with Joseph Weber of South Bluff street, was fishing near the railroad bridge at Monterey during the afternoon of Labor day and it has been learned that Ryan saved Weber's life, when the latter slipped on some stones and fell into the river, by plunging in after the drowning boy. The lads were very quiet about the accident and the story of the life saving was not known until a man who was an eye witness of the deed, thought that the occurrence deserved mention.

It seems that the boys were fishing on the north side of the river between the end of the dam and the railroad bridge. Not having much luck after some time, Weber walked over to the abutment of the bridge. He was standing on the loose stones near the masonry work and as he cast his line, slipped on the uncertain footing. Ryan heard the splash and immediately plunged in after his friend who was sinking for the second time. After a short but hard struggle, Ryan brought his companion to the bank where he was revived.

### FUTURE EVENTS

Public schools open Monday, Sept. 14.

School books at Skelly's.

"Sky Farm" at the opera house Monday evening.

Janesville Machine company's annual picnic at Ho-No-Ne-Gah park, September 12th.

Trades Council dance at Assembly hall this evening.

Young People's Society social at Guild hall Sept. 14.

Teachers met this afternoon.

### LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

America Lodge, No. 26, Daughters of Rebekah, at East Side Odd Fellows hall.

### BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Talk to Lowell.

New and second hand school books. Jas. Sutherland & Sons.

Good values left in ladies and children's second underwear at 15 and 30c. Schmiedley's closing out sale.

Remember the dance of Olive Lodge, No. 27, at West Side Odd Fellows hall.

New and second hand school books. Jas. Sutherland & Sons.

Bargains in fleeced and wool hosiery. Ladies' and children's, 15, 20, and 25c. Schmiedley's closing out sale.

Low prices on second-hand school books for the city schools at Skelly's book store.

All school books used in the city schools at Skelly's book store.

School material of all kinds now on sale at Jas. Sutherland & Sons.

School tablets from one cent up at Skelly's book store.

Best quality ladies' and children's union suits at 43, 75, 85, 98, and 1.25. Schmiedley's closing out sale.

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Second hand school books bought and sold at Skelly's bookstore.

Social dance of Olive Lodge, No. 27, D. of H. A. O. U. W., at East Side Odd Fellows hall, Wednesday evening, Sept. 16th. Friends of the order are invited.

Wanted—Fifty young men 16 to 20 years of age to pick cucumbers. Good wages. Apply office P. Hohenadel Jr., Co., Spring Brook.

The Federated Trades council will give a dance this evening at Assembly hall. Smith's orchestra will furnish the music. Admission, 25 cents. Ladies free.

You can save money buying your school supplies and tablets at Skelly's book store.

T. P. Burns is now displaying two large sample lines of new fall suits which will be sold 25 per cent. less than regular price.

You don't believe all you read about 20 Mule Team Borax till you try it. We will send you free, if you write to-day, a package of 20 Mule Team Borax with full directions. Be sure to address Dept. 6 D, Pacific Coast Borax Company, Chicago. It is sold by all druggists and grocers.

Harry Shurtliff and Adolph Knutson went to Elkhorn today. They will have a stand at the fair next week.

J. A. Van Cleve of Marinette was in Janesville this morning. He was on his way to Madison to attend a meeting of the commission appointed to arrange for the plans of the new \$100,000 addition to be made to the capitol building.

Buy a fountain pen for a school. Any make of pen. Cut price sale at Skelly's book store. Largest and most complete line in the city.

### SMALL STRIKE AT HOHENADEL'S

Boys in Cutting Department Demanded Increase of Pay Yesterday, and Quit Work on Refusal.

There was a small strike in the cutting department of the Peter Hohenadel, Jr. Co.'s canning factory yesterday afternoon. Some of the boys employed there who receive 12 1/2 cents an hour demanded 15 cents, the sum paid to the men working in that department. Peter Hohenadel and Fred Bellhaz visited the scene of the disturbance and ousted the strikers in a summary manner. Some of the strikers say they were struck. Their places were filled within a few minutes and the work resumed its normal course without further interruption.

## UNION MEMBERS WILL BE THERE

SENATOR WHITEHEAD RECEIVES  
ANSWER TO BELOIT LETTER.

### TO COME AS INDIVIDUALS

Secretary Carpenter Writes That He Will Urge Union Men to Attend Meeting.

In a letter which states that the Beloit Trades Council in a delegated body, representing nearly all the unionism in Beloit and in no sense a political organization, W. S. Carpenter, secretary of the Beloit Trades Council writes to Senator Whitehead thanking him for his invitation to be present at his address Wednesday in Beloit. While the letter says that for the above reasons the Trades Council as an organization could not accept Senator Whitehead's invitation still as individuals Mr. Carpenter and others will be glad to attend and will urge all union men to be present.

### A Courteous Letter

The letter is very courteous and expresses the purpose of the majority of the union members to be present at the address of Senator Whitehead. Senator Whitehead also received a letter from Assemblyman Brittan to the effect that owing to personal reasons he would be unable to act as chairman of the meeting but that he would be present.

### Will Make Speech

Senator Whitehead this afternoon expressed himself as pleased with the letters and will make his address as planned on Wednesday evening, next. While the invitation was made expressly to the unions of Beloit the senator wishes it understood that the general public is invited. The opera house will seat all who wish to go from here and many will avail themselves of the opportunity to go down on the interurban the evening of the address.

### Thanks Carpenter

This afternoon Senator Whitehead sent Secretary Carpenter a letter, thanking him for his letter and stating he would deliver the address as planned.

### ENGINE HITS WIRE; SMASHES HEADLIGHT

Was Switching Back of the Art Study Company Works—A Temporary Line.

Engine No. 1000 of the St. Paul road while switching back of the Art Study company building, ran against one of the temporary power wires used by the Janesville Contracting company, that was strung from the poles near the Marzluft shoe factory, across the mill race to the roof of the old mill building. The heavy wire was strung so low that it hit the headlight, tearing it from its base. The glass in the headlight was smashed but that was about the only damage done and the box was replaced in a few minutes. The engine was stopped in time to prevent the wire breaking so no further accident resulted.

### Mrs. Brown

Mrs. Caroline O. Brown of Miller, S. D., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Olson of this city, died yesterday after a brief illness. Mr. Olson left last Wednesday and reached his daughter's bedside before she died. A telegram was received from Mr. Olson today stating that they would arrive with the remains in Janesville early Sunday morning. The funeral will be private from the Olson home, 308 W. Bluff street.

### On Monday Next: Members of

Rock River Hive, No. 71, L. O. T. M., are requested to meet at East Side Odd Fellows hall Monday evening, September 14, at 8 o'clock for drill.

### Business is Flourishing

Since starting in the coal business, our patrons have been most numerous. It merely goes to show that low prices & good service are appreciated.

### Herman Lehffus

Marion and W. Milwaukee St.

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### TEA - COFFEE

The finishing touch to a perfect meal is a delicious satisfying cup of Java tea or a cup of scientifically blended coffee.

### RESULTS

An article is judged by results, not by the claims made by the manufacturer or retailer. My 50c Japan Tea is absolutely guaranteed to give proper results, and my Lumia Blend Coffee is highly recommended by its many users—its 35c per pound cans. If you want to pay less money for your coffees I can sell you just as good as you can buy anywhere for the money.

Mexican Coffee 23, 25, 30 & 35c. Thompson & Taylor Fine Coffee 20, 25, 30 & 35c. Prairie Lilly Flour \$1.10. Staple Groceries.

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## FIRST MEETING AT MRS. ASHCRAFT'S

Details for Work of the Coming Year  
Planned—Prof. Wright to  
Lecture.

Mrs. W. H. Ashcraft's residence was the scene of the first meeting for the season of 1903-4 of the Janesville Art League. A large number were present and a regular business meeting was held. Election of officers for the ensuing year was carried out and plans for the coming season decided upon. President Charlotte E. Tarrant called the meeting to order, and following this was the reelection of the old officers as follows: President, Charlotte E. Tarrant; vice president, Emma Miller; recording secretary, Ada P. Kimberly; corresponding secretary, Katherine McGowan; treasurer, Laura E. Burr; auditor, Kittie Ashcraft; honorary president, Ella Hotelling Tanberg. The standing committees for the year as appointed by the president, are: Art—Mrs. Fred A. Capelle, Mrs. E. F. Woods, Mrs. James Waddle. History—Mrs. W. Fisher, Mrs. Mae Smiley, Mrs. H. D. Murdock. Federation—The executive committee, Exhibition—Mrs. J. F. Pember, Mrs. W. H. Ashcraft, Mrs. R. R. Powell. Entertainment—Mrs. H. D. Murdock, Mrs. Walter Helms, Mrs. E. F. Woods. The reports of the secretary and treasurer and the secretaries of the art and history classes were also given. Mythology in reference to art will be the study taken up by the league this winter and Prof. T. L. Wright will deliver a series of seven lectures on the subject, six of them will be presented in the city while the seventh will be given in Beloit and will be complimentary. A successful season is ahead and much enjoyment from the gatherings is expected.

### START WORKING FOR STATE DRILL

Canton No. 9 Will Begin Its Preparations on Tuesday Night Next.

Next Tuesday night the members of Canton No. 9, P. M., will commence their special drills, at the West Side Odd Fellows hall to prepare for the state competition which will be held at Madison during the grand encampment which begins the first Tuesday in October. This meeting is the annual department council for the Cantons, military branch and large crowds are expected this fall at the Capital City.

### GUESTS AT THE HOTELS

GRAND—J. G. McKinnon, Beloit; C. Spensley, Mineral Point; J. B. Simpson, Shullsburg; H. E. Fullerton, A. R. Templeton, Arthur W. Fairchild, Chas. J. Daubach, Fred Rietbrock, W. D. K. Smith, H. W. Cannon, Milwaukee; E. A. Fredericks, J. E. Hayner, Madison; John M. Lull, Wausau; J. A. Van Cleve, Marinette; Chas. L. Hill, Rosendale; F. G. Borden, Milton.

MYERS—W. F. Ferguson, Madison; A. Mullberger, Watertown; W. F. Everts, Milwaukee.

PARK—H. Smith and wife, John Brown, Madison; Henry Ross, Belleville; Mrs. H. A. Smiley, Miss Corn Smiley, F. P. Smiley, Orfordville; S. S. Jones, F. B. Rogers, Clinton; J. B. Henry, John Hyland, E. Johnson, Ayon; A. L. Eldred, Arthur Smith, Albany; Nellie Brant, Ayon.

Wives sometimes object to life insurance. Widows never do. They know its value. Get particulars free.

## Penn Mutual Life...

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### Coal & In Beloit...

It is selling now at \$9. Place your order at once here before another advance.

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OF SUGAR CORN EACH DAY FROM  
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### 400 HANDS ARE EMPLOYED

To Take Care of the Big Harvest—  
Cucumber Crop Is Good, Notwithstanding Many Reports.

The busiest institution at Spring Brook just now is the Hohenadel canning factory. Four hundred hands are employed in the various departments to take care of the harvest of sugar corn. Everything goes like clock-work. From far out into the neighboring country, the big wagons, heaped to their brims with ears, rattle up hill and down dale to the factory. Hundreds of women and children work from dawn to sunset in the husking pen. They are paid by the bushel and no time must be wasted.

### Hundred Thousand Cans

The ears of corn are carried first to the cutting department on the third floor where the kernels are removed by machinery and carried to a big vat of steaming water. Down below the can are being filled at the rate of 120 a minute. They march in a long column like soldiers, from the filling machine, and deft hands place the small tin caps on them as the line passes to the soldering machine. Here, battalion after battalion moves to the rear and then forward again, as the group of cans in front are sealed and once more join the line. The present output is almost 100,000 cans a day and the work with the corn will continue until some time after the first frost.

### Millions of Pickles

The first question the visitor invariably propounds to himself upon visiting the pickling department and observing the immense vats of cucumbers in process is: "Who eats them all?" It would seem that there are enough pickles in the brine at the factory now to supply the whole state of Wisconsin, including the young ladies' boarding schools. But this is only a small part of the crop and 75 hands are now at work pickling the crop on the company's own farms. The harvest will be a good one this year, notwithstanding the "bear" reports that were circulated recently.

### All This Week

At our store all this week Miss Wilcox of Chicago is demonstrating.

## Richelieu Coffee...

You are invited to call.

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Milwaukee and Academy St

We advertised 500 lbs. of

## Picnic Hams

last Saturday. They were all gone before 5 o'clock.

We now have on sale 700 lbs. of the best grade money can buy, for this sale

ONLY 8c lb.

Best grade salt pork only 7c.

20 lbs granulated sugar

and 50 lb. sack

Ethan Allen Flour - - \$2.15

100 lots of sugar and flour sold last Saturday.

Nice large pears 35c peck.

Large cooking apples 25c pk

Our 25c coffee leads them all

Our 40c Jap Tea is just what others ask 50c for.

## The Fair Store

## Fall... Wedding Gifts

This summer we have enjoyed an unusually brisk sale on wedding presents. For fall we have again placed in stock a most worthy assortment of silver, gold and cut glass. Visitors at all times welcome.

## Hall, Sayles, & Field Reliable Jewelers.

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Plow sharpening time is here. We make a special feature of this work. If your lawn mower needs going over we certainly can do the work in a satisfactory way.

## HELLER & BURGESS,

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## NEW GAS LIGHT CO.,

## Money Saved on Meats

Our meat department is a special feature and we try to please all patrons on quality and price. Phone us.

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# COUNTY NEWS

**MAGNOLIA**  
Sept. 10.—The Misses Gertrude and Grace Clarke of Milton who have been visiting relatives here returned home Thursday.  
Miss Minnie Edwards began teaching in the South Magnolia school on Tuesday.  
Mrs. Lucius Andrew of Evansville, is visiting at her daughter's this week.  
Little Eva Edwards is on the sick list.  
Mr. John Bare who has been preaching in the Advent Church during the summer vacation returned to Mendota, Ill. the first of this week to resume studies in the college.  
A few from this place attended the funeral of Mr. Larry Ward last Thursday.  
Mrs. Lila Greene began teaching in District No. 3 last Monday.  
Miss Anna Meeley will teach in the North School this fall and Miss Lulu Howard will teach in the Calvin school.  
Mrs. Emma Emmons has been visiting relatives here this week.

**SOUTHWEST LIMA**  
Sept. 10.—Continuous and heavy rains have done much damage to grain stacks also many farmers fear that the potato crop will suffer from the same effect.  
Mrs. Frank Kyle and Mrs. Wm. Dixon, were Whitewater visitors on Tuesday.  
Charles Branks and Mrs. J. J. Lackner attended the picnic at Janesville Monday given by the Congregation of St. Mary's church.  
Mrs. John Dixon and daughter, Elsie, were callers at R. Dixon's on Tuesday.  
A number from here will take in the sights at the Milwaukee State fair this week.  
Some of the Western boys has returned from their trip and report a very pleasant time.  
A number from this place attended the Stewart-Richmond wedding at Milton Junction Wednesday.  
M. M. Holdbrook and Miss Ella Barker surprised their many friends by being quietly married at Milton Tuesday.

**CLINTON**  
Sept. 10.—Frank Ames has sold his residence on Main St. to Mr. M. A. Patchen who will soon become a resident of our village. Mr. Ames has bought the T. W. Tuttle place on Milwaukee St.  
Last Sunday was red letter day at the M. E. church 16 were taken into

full membership and \$220 was raised to clear up the debt of the church. A member of the G. A. R. from here attended the soldiers' and sailors' meeting at Beloit yesterday.  
Mr. Jas. Gates has a new cement walk in front of his residence on Main St.  
Geo. Barr and family of Lake Geneva, came on Saturday for a few days visit with his sister, Mrs. Chas. Hanson.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Olds are in Milwaukee this week attending the State fair where he is one of the exhibitors.  
Mr. Geo. Hudson has been confined to his bed through illness the past ten days.  
Rev. John P. Hale, of La Fayette, Ind., who is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Montague, preached a very able sermon in the Congregational church last Sunday.  
Mrs. Mary Miller of Clinton, Ia., and Mr. R. W. Randall of Conrad, Ia. visited their cousin, Mrs. Edna Scott last Tuesday.  
C. S. Thomas has sold his house and lot to James Kelly and will move into the Woolston house.  
Mrs. K. W. Cheever is in Milwaukee this week visiting friends and looking up millinery goods.  
In riding through the country the numerous hills posted reminds one that the season of auctions is at hand. Fred Helmer is disposing of his stock of Tools today at his father's farm 4 miles north of the village. Next Monday Mark Stewart has a general sale at his farm three miles east of here. Mr. Stewart will move to Beloit.

**ALLEN GROVE**  
Sept. 11.—Mr. Chas. Sackett of Beloit, was seen on our streets Thursday.  
Miss Ira Niskern is visiting some friends in Clinton and Beloit this week.  
Mr. George Wess of Beloit visited friends and relatives in town last week.  
Mr. Levi Miner and P. Grosh and some others took in the Milwaukee State fair this week.  
Mr. Potter's nephew, Mr. Taylor, has been visiting them a few days.  
Mrs. Ida Spicer and two children Harold and Elmer of Beloit are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mate S. West.  
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**Real Estate Transfers**  
Adelbert L. Gower et al to Forrest E. Gower \$7381.67 undivided two-thirds interest subject to right of dower in pt of 1/4 of 1/4 sec 19 & 1/4 of 1/4 sec 20 La Prairie Vol 163dd.  
Forrest E. Gower et al to Adelbert L. Gower \$7381.76 undivided two-thirds interest in 1/4 of 1/4 sec 19 & 1/4 of 1/4 sec 20 La Prairie Vol 163dd.  
John Thoroughgood & wife to Dan H. Higgins \$3500.00 lot 1, 2-23 Original plat Janesville Vol 163dd.  
O. D. Crumb & Minnie M. Crumb to Martha Johnson \$1500.00 pt of sec 14, 27 Vol 163dd Johnsonstown.  
W. A. McEwan & wife to Alonzo A. Atherton \$1200.00 pt of sec 14 of 34-4-13 Milton Vol 163dd.  
Isaac Dearhammer & wife to Henry L. Dearhammer \$100 undivided one-tenth interest in 1/4 of 1/4 sec 1-3 Newark Vol 163dd.  
William Rogers & wife to Wm. H. Rogers \$300.00 lot 13-4 Merrill's Add Beloit Vol 163dd.  
Albert E. Menz & wife et al to George Philip Schmidt \$600.00 lot 8, 9, 10, 11 East Park Add to Tillman Park Add Milton Vol 163dd.  
John M. Dearhammer to H. L. Dearhammer \$435.00 undivided 1-10 interest in 1/4 of 1/4 sec 1-11 Vol 163dd.

**Uncle Allen.**  
"When a man is just aching to do something mighty mean, and is afraid to do it," said Uncle Allen Sparks, "he always says he'd 'do it for 2 cents'."

**Chinese Census.**  
A recent census of China shows that that country, crowded with "teeming millions," has 103 to the square mile, Belgium has 220 to the square mile, Great Britain 120 and Germany 105.

## CITY TREASURER DISAPPEARS

Vincent (Iowa) Business Man Is Gone, as Is an Actress.

Fort Dodge, Iowa, Sept. 12.—H. J. Stumpf, city treasurer of Vincent, north of here, and a prominent business man, has disappeared. The bank of Vincent has secured a writ of attachment on his property. It is alleged that he left debts of more than \$5,000. A member of a carnival company which had been showing throughout this part of the state is also missing. Mr. Stumpf was in the hardware business and was highly respected. He is married and has a family. His sudden departure has created a sensation at Vincent and here, where many of his creditors reside.

**Rear Admiral Casey Retires.**  
Washington, Sept. 12.—Rear Admiral Casey, recently detached from command of the Pacific squadron, has retired on account of age after nearly forty-seven years' active service. Captain Charles J. Barclay, commanding the Puget Sound navy yard, will become a rear admiral.

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Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at drugists or by mail. Trial Size, 10 cents by mail. ELY'S BALM, 190 N. Water Street, New York

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bought last April, before the sharp advance in cottons. We own them at the low spring prices; today they are worth at wholesale from one to three cents per yard more than we paid for them. We propose to give our customers the benefit of this purchase, and so offer:

3 cases (6000 yds.)  
Heavy Quality at - 7c  
2 cases (4000 yds.)  
Coarse Dotons - 10c  
1 case (2000 yds.)  
Plain Twilled - 12 1-2c.

These goods are the finest patterns produced by the mills, including

All The Fancy Styles  
as well as the Staple Stripes

Late in the season you will find good styles at these prices. As all manufactured cotton has advanced from 20 to 25 per cent. and on late purchases you will have to pay it. Come in and see the beautiful new line of Outing Flannels.

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### LOCAL MARKET PRICES.

Quotations on Grain and Produce Reported for the Gazette.

REPORTED BY F. A. DEXTER & CO. September 10, 1903.

FLOUR—1st Pat. at \$1.25 to \$1.30; 2nd Pat. at \$1.10 to \$1.25 per sack.

WHEAT—No. 3 Winter, 75¢; No. 3 Spring, 80¢.

RYE—By sample, at \$1.20 per bu.

BARLEY—Fair to good old malting, 75¢; New barley, 40¢; 47¢; musty grade, 30¢.

CORN—Ear, per bu., \$1.30 to \$1.40, depending on quality.

OATS—Market weak; new \$1.20; old, 10¢.

CLUBB BREAD—\$7.75 to \$8.00 per bu.

TIMOTHY SEED—Retail at \$1.30 to \$1.40 per bu.

FEED—Pure corn and oats, \$2.00; mixed, 10¢.

POTATOES—\$3.00 to \$3.25 per bu.

BEANS—\$2.15 to \$2.25 per bu., hand picked.

EGGS—15¢ dozen.

BUTTER—Choice Dairy, 20¢; Creamery, 25¢.

HIDES—Green, 6¢; 5¢.

WOLLS—Straight, 14¢; 16¢.

CATTLE—\$3.00 to \$3.50 per cwt.

HOGS—\$4.00 to \$4.50 per cwt.

LAMBS—16¢ per lb.

## Bank Clerks

who desire to add to their income by work outside of hours are invited to write me stating their qualifications for selling a Five Per Cent. Twenty-Year Gold Bond on the instalment plan.

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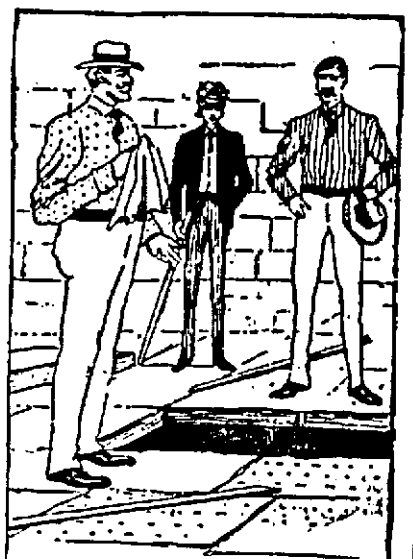
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On Friday, Sept. 11th, the C. & N. W. Ry. will run a special excursion to Duluth for \$5.00 round trip. Train leaves Janesville at 8:10 p. m., arriving at Duluth at 9 a. m. Tickets good only on special train and good returning on trains leaving Duluth at 6 p. m., Saturday, Sept. 12, or Sunday, Sept. 13.

Very Low Rates to Baltimore, Md. Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold Sept. 17, 18 and 19, with very favorable return limits, on account of annual meeting I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge.

Excursion Tickets to Walworth Co. Fair at Elkhorn, Wis. Via the North-Western Line. Tickets will be sold at reduced rates, Sept. 14 to 18, inclusive, limited to return Sept. 19, inclusive.

For information as to rates, dates of sale, etc., of these or other occasions, call upon the ticket agent of the North-Western Line.

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Ogden and Salt Lake City, Utah, Sept. 15th to 18th, National Irrigation Congress.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 21st to 26th, Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F.

Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Oct. 7th to 11th, Brotherhood of St. Andrew Convention.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 16th to 22nd, Christian Church National convocations.

San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 20th to 23rd, American Bankers' convention.

For information as to rates, dates of sale, etc., of these or other occasions, call upon ticket agent of the North-Western Line. Tel. 35.

Low rate round-trip tickets to Fond du Lac and intermediate stations, good every Sunday until Sept. 27, 1903.

Home Visitors' Excursion Tickets to Indiana and Ohio. Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates on four Tuesdays, Sept. 1, 8, 15 and Oct. 6, limited to return within 30 days from date of sale. For particulars as to territory to which excursion tickets may be sold, etc., A. N. Gleason agent.

Excursion Rates to The Centennial Celebration at Chicago. Via the North-Western Line, Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates Sept. 28, 29 and 30th, limited to return until Oct. 2, inclusive.

Summer Excursion Rates to Colorado Utah, and the Black Hills via C. & N. W. Ry.

On sale June 1st to Sept. 30th, limited to Oct. 31st. For full information see ticket agent C. & N. W. passenger depot.

**C.M. & St. Paul Ry.** Special Reduced Excursion Rates. Will be in effect from all points on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, railway for the occasions named below.

Elkhorn, Wis., Walworth county fair, Sept. 14-18.

Home Visitors' Excursions. On September 15 and October 6, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell excursion tickets to many points in the states of Indiana and Ohio, also to Louisville, Ky., at greatly reduced rates, particularly of which may be obtained on application to the ticket agent or by addressing F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

\$3.65 Round Trip to Chicago. Via Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, September 28 to 30th, 1903. Good to return until October 2. For the grand celebration of the Chicago centennial. Ask the nearest agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway for additional information, or write F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

\$21.50 to points in Texas, Indian Territory and Oklahoma and return via Chicago, Milwaukee and St. P. Railway on Sept. 15, 1903, round trip home seekers' excursion tickets will be sold to points in Texas, also to all intermediate points in Indian Territory and Oklahoma. For stop over privileges, limits, etc., call on ticket agent. Phone 191.

Why not go in October, when the rates are low? Only \$62.50 from Janesville, Wis., to San Francisco or Los Angeles and return, October 8 to 17, via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. Excellent train service. Tickets good on the Overland Limited or two other fast daily trains via this line. Complete information on request. F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

Very Low Rates to San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal., and Return Via Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R. R. Tickets will be sold Oct. 8 to 17, inclusive, account of American Bankers' Assn., at San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 20-23, 1903. The final return limit will be November 30, 1903.

**Five Men Are Killed.**  
Minneapolis, Sept. 12.—Five men were killed while at work in the Peavey elevator by the collapse of a scaffold in a concrete bin. The men were thrown to the floor, sixty-three feet below.



## CEMENT POSTS AT STATE FAIR

Attracted Unusual Interest This Week  
at Milwaukee—Hope to Soon  
Start Full Force.

One of the exhibits at the state fair that attracted unusual interest was that of the Janesville Cement Post Co. The concern had a tent with a large banner hung out in front calling attention to the new thing in posts. All of the varieties both outside and inside the booth. The exhibit will be taken to several of the smaller fairs throughout this region.

**Feeling Its Market.**  
Portland cement has taken a big slump of late owing to the many strikes in the middle west. The Janesville concern has several cars on hand, however, and is not ready to avail itself of the market. Three agents in the states of Iowa, Illinois and Wisconsin are introducing the posts and many inquiries are received daily at the factory. Until it is known just what the market for them is to be, a full force of men cannot be put to work.

**70,000 On Hand.**  
There are about 70,000 posts in all stages of seasoning now on hand and a few thousand are being manufactured every day. When the new wire twisting machine is put into use with the old one it is estimated that four tons of wire a day will be consumed. A cement post concern which uses the angle-iron instead of twisted wire has recently started up at Platteville.

**Unsuitable For Ties.**  
Mr. Moses in talking yesterday of the strength and durability of the cement post was not so sure that railroad ties might not at some time be manufactured by a similar process. However, he did not believe that this would happen in the immediate future. The frequent jar and strain would require too large a proportion of iron in the composition.

## WHEN "TINKER" HAD SOFT BED

Story of How the Slippery Scapegrace  
Imposed on Kind Samaritan Who  
Thought He Was Hurt.

The recent escapade of the notorious "Tinker" Smith has brought to light a number of stories of his former exploits and adventures. One of them is concerned with a well known (resident of South Jackson street) shoe manufacturer. It appears that Smith, at the conclusion of one of his bacchanalian revels, decided to make a call on a girl who was employed at the home of the well known citizen. He got as far as the horse-block in front of the residence and the lay down for a brief respite from his exertions, soon passing into dreamland.

**Soft Bed For Tinker.**  
The head of the house, returning from his office, found him there and concluded that the man must have been hurt. With the assistance of the family he assisted the poor fellow into the house and insisted that he should lay down. When "Tinker" came to, he had readily accepted the idea that he was hurt and said so in a weak voice, several times.

**Scapegrace Recognized.**  
After all had been done for his comfort that was possible the patrol was called, with instructions to bring a litter for a sick man. Officer Dencke was one of the first to arrive on the scene. When his eyes rested on "Tinker" the latter slyly winked, as he repeated his story of the terrible accident he had sustained. The patrol arrived a few minutes later and the officer seized the joker roughly by the arm, saying as he did so: "Come along now—you're no more hurt than I am!" The good Samaritan who had received "Tinker" into his home viewed this proceeding dumb with surprise. The wagon was soon speeding to the jail and the next morning the notorious scapegrace, in spite of his pleading, was given 10 days in the lock-up in which to recover from his "accident."

## EX-BANDIT ENTERS A PROTEST

Frank James Sues to Stop Play in  
Which He Figures.

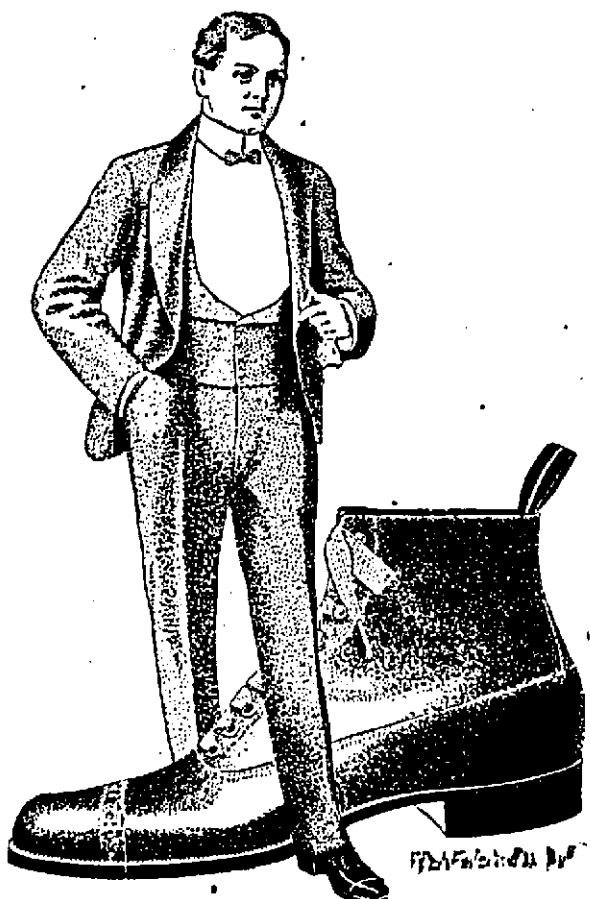
Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 12.—Frank James, the ex-bandit, has begun suit in the Circuit court against the management of the Gillis opera house of this city, the owners of the melodrama "The James Boys in Missouri," and the actors who take part in the production. He asks for \$35,000 damages. He sets out in his petition that he is a citizen of the United States and a resident of Clay county, Missouri, where he has the respect of his neighbors and acquaintances; that he has for a "number of years been a man of good name." He avers that he is now lawabiding, peaceful and honorable and that the character portrayed as "Frank James" in the melodrama does his good name serious injury.

Henry R. Dering, who has been assistant general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania at Chicago for the last ten years, is seriously ill at his home, 124 East Forty-seventh street. Mr. Dering has been a sufferer from heart trouble for some time. Mr. Dering has been with the Pennsylvania for nearly a quarter of a century.

The Pennsylvania railroad is preparing to make extensive experiments with foreign locomotives. The purchase of the best type of engine is being made from each foreign country where engines are manufactured. An exhibit will be made of these engines at the St. Louis exposition, after which the railroad company will conduct a series of experiments with a view to determining which is the best engine.

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them for school. Our  
prices are doing the  
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## AMOS RENBERG & CO.,

On the Bridge Janesville, Wis.

### Milk Store.

A number of articles made from galalith, or milkstone, were shown at Hamburg. The caseln from skimmed milk hardened by formaldehyde and variously colored, was used for table tops, combs, knife handles, cigar holders, balls, rings, chessmen and dominoes. An advantage of the new product as compared with celluloid, is the fact that it does not ignite so easily and is entirely odorless.

### Where Autos Are Weak.

Ample evidence of the narrow margin of safety in the powerful automobiles is shown by the fact that in the Paris-Madrid race nearly all the big cars came to grief through failure of working parts. The heat softened the metal in the bearings, cylinder heads cracked, rods bent, giving evidence that the machinery was underproportioned and overworked.

### London Church Census.

The Daily News recently published the completed returns of the church census for London. The following are the denominational totals, adding morning and evening attendances together: Established church, 430,153; nonconformist churches, 416,225; Roman Catholic church, 93,572; other services, 62,990; grand total, 1,002,940.

### From Bad to Worse.

Mrs. Grumm (reading paper)—Ah! here's a story of a dear, sweet Montana girl who had a bad man arrested and then decided to marry him. Now, what do you think of that, Mr. John Henry Grumm? Grumm—Oh, nothing; only it looks like going from bad to worse.—Baltimore American.

### Electric Lines in Mexico.

The street tramways of the city of Mexico, which began only a few years ago as a few independent mule lines, now form one electric system with modern equipment. There are 190 miles of lines, and the service comprises 604 cars; 4,600 horsepower is required to work the system.

**Child Mortality in the West Indies.**  
In the West Indies infantile mortality is very heavy. As soon as the children of the peasant can toddle about they are allowed to eat whatever they pick up. As a natural result, more than half of them die in a year old.

**Chicago the Nation's Capital.**  
"Chicago is by logic and position the legitimate capital of the United States," said Dr. Toyokichi Iyenaga of Japan in the course of a lecture on the "Renaissance in Japan" at the University of Chicago.

### Police Motor Car.

Atlantic City possesses a police motor car which is used solely for the conveyance of intoxicated prisoners.

### Traitor Is Foiled.

Berlin, Sept. 12.—The sergeant who was recently arrested at Metz, with six privates, for selling two bombs, with a newly patented fuse attached, to a French agent, has confessed that he was to receive \$800 for his treasonable conduct. He was arrested before the money was paid.

### Held Pupil for Killing.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 12.—By direction of Deputy Coroner Hammond all those who were arrested in connection with the death of Pupil Riley have been discharged from custody with the exception of Grif Jones, who was Riley's opponent in the bout.

### Honor Premier Balfour.

Southport, England, Sept. 12.—The British Association for the Advancement of Science has elected Premier Balfour to be president of the meeting to be held in 1904 at Cambridge, and also decided that the meeting of 1905 shall be held in South Africa.

### Tolstol's Birthday.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 12.—Count Tolstol spent his seventy-fifth birthday, Sept. 11, in strict privacy among his children at Tula. He was in the best of health. The papers printed glowing eulogies of the count.

### Eat a Hearty Breakfast.

It is asserted that the longest-lived people are those who make breakfast their privilege meal.

# J.M. BOSTWICK SONS.

Fancy.....

## Outing Flannels

Bought two cases last spring, had them shipped in August. Merchants who buy this grade now will have to get 12 1-2c for it. While they last our price is ..... **10c**

## Shirt Waists

Now showing beautiful styles for fall and winter wear, either silk or mercerized cotton.

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## Linoleum

It has grown in popular favor the past few years and is the best floor covering known to stand extra hard wear. We have it in several qualities including in-laid which closely imitates tile flooring.

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A wonderful assortment from the smallest to the large room sizes—we show about 100 extra large rugs for entire rooms. New patterns, all prices.

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It may seem early but we are now showing our entire line, all selected with great care, the best values we have ever shown.

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### PREACHER STOPS ELECTRIC LINE

Injunction to Prevent Council Giving Franchise Is Approved.  
Fort Wayne, Ind., Sept. 12.—Rev. Samuel Wagenthals' action in securing an injunction against the city council to prevent the granting of a franchise for the entrance of the General Electric company into Fort Wayne is applauded by many citizens. Mr. Wagenthals is pastor of the Trinity English Lutheran church. With many others, he thought the electric company did not offer the city satisfactory terms in return for the proposed franchise.

### SHAW IS AGAINST MINE BUREAU

Secretary Tells Deadwood Congress That It Is Unnecessary.  
Deadwood, S. D., Sept. 12.—When Secretary Shaw left Deadwood the chief event of the mining congress, which was his visit, was over. Secretary Shaw, in his speech, expressed himself as opposed to a bureau of mining. "I do not want the mining men to think," he said, "that the government is not interested in mining or will not do everything possible for it except in a paternal way, but I do not think a special department is at all necessary."

### TODAY'S CHICAGO MARKET

C. L. Cutler Resident Manager.				
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
WHEAT—				
Sept.....	79	80 1/2	79 1/2	80 1/2
Oct.....	81 1/2	82	81 1/2	82 1/2
CORN—				
Sept.....	51	51 1/2	50 1/2	51
Oct.....	50 1/2	50 1/2	50	50 1/2
OATS—				
Sept.....	35 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Oct.....	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
POPEY—				
Sept.....	13 1/2	13 5/8	13 1/8	13 5/8
Oct.....	12 5/8	13 1/8	12 1/2	13 1/8
LEAD—				
Sept.....	9 20	9 25	9 20	9 25
Oct.....	8 32	8 42	8 25	8 32
RUBB—				
Sept.....	8 1/2	8 60	8 33	8 54
Oct.....	8 67	8 70	8 62	8 66
CHICAGO C&M L&T RECEIPTS (Wheat).				
Today. Contdnt. Tomorrow				
Wheat.....	141	.....	.....	.....
Corn.....	201	.....	.....	.....
Oats.....	141	.....	.....	.....
NORTH-WEST RECEIPTS (Wheat).				
Today. Last Week Year Ago				
Minneapolis.....	224	191	6	434
Duluth.....	237	6	.....	.....